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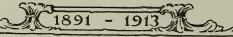
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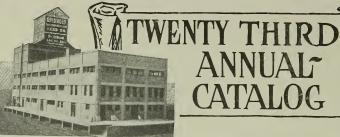


# GRISWOLD SEED COMPANY



1913 LINCOLN NEBR





#### NOTICE

TESTED SEED. For several years past we have tested all garden field and grass seed. We have a large tester built according to the plans approved by the Government Department of Agriculture. The value of tested seed to the buyer cannot be over-estimated. It is an assurance to you that the seed is full of vigorous life and vitality, and that if you plant under proper conditions and follow our instructions, you will not be disappointed.

ERRORS. We exercise the utmost care in filling orders, striving to do a little more than we offer; yet in the press of business errors sometimes occur, in which event we wish to be promptly notified of the fact and will make such corrections as will be satisfactory. Please keep copies of all your orders for comparison.

OUR TERMS are cash with order. We cannot ship C. O. D. unless you remit at least one-fourth the amount of the order. It always costs you extra for goods to come that way. We will take your personal check if you add 15 cents for exchange, but will hold order till banks report checks paid. Better send us Draft, Money Order, or Registered Letter. We always refund your money if we cannot fill order.

MARRIED WOMEN will save confusion in correspondence by always using husband's initials.

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HOW WE SHIP. All heavy stuff is sent by freight at your expense, unless otherwise instructed. We send you duplicate bill of lading, showing date, number of bags sent, and route. All plants and perishable stuff are sent only by express at your expense, unless quoted "prepaid," in which case we send by mail or prepaid express and notify you.

FREIGHT RATES. Seed takes a low rate. Write us for rates

to your station.

SAFE ARRIVAL. We guarantee all goods except sweet potatoes to arrive safely and will refund you for any loss providing you have Agent make notation of such loss on expense bill and return it to us. This applies on Irish Potatoes if time of shipment is left to our

We also guarantee all seed that we send out at catalog prices to be carefully selected, and tested. We are always pleased to make good any mistake, but all complaints must be made within 15 days from receipt of goods. On account of weather conditions, etc., we cannot guarantee the crop. You can have the Experiment Station test any of our seed and if not satisfactory we will take them back and refund to you.

OUR PESPONSIBILITY. We have been in business here for 22 years. We would be pleased to have you write (enclosing stamp) any bank or business firm here in Lincoln as to our standing.

GRISWOLD SEED COMPAN LINCOLN NEBRASKA

if you are sure of getting full rains soon enough.

variety as the common alfalfa, but has been grown for years in the mountains of Turkestan,

Asia, in a region where there is very small rainfall and with hot, dry summers, and dry, cold

winters. A plant developed under such conditions could not be otherwise than nardy and strongly

drouth-resistant, and such has proved to be the

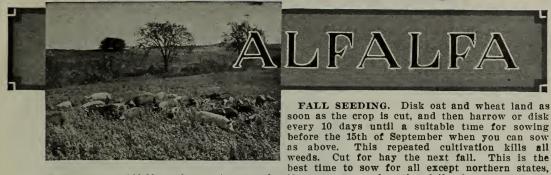
ALFALFA IS A DEEP FEEDER. The tap roots

descend to great depths wherever the soil is

loose and permeable, often averaging 10 to 12 feet. It has been recorded as sending its roots

to the depth of 50 feet.

TURKESTAN ALFALFA. This is the same



Alfalfa makes a strong and SUITABLE SOIL. rapid growth on well drained, rather heavy land, which is supplied with some lime, and where the subsoil, while not necessarily sand or gravel, is porous. On sandy soil the growth is vigorous, when moisture is abundant, but during drought it will suffer unless the roots reach water at a depth of 8 to 10 feet. The land should slope some, seed bed. The land must be free from weeds

and the ground must be thoroughly pulverized and well packed. Alfalfa will frequently fail if seeded on freshly plowed ground. If it is necessary to plow the ground before seeding, do it early, harrow thoroughly and sow after a good rain has settled it.

SPRING SEEDING. Sow seed broadcast or with drill from March to June 15, at the rate of 20 pounds to the acre.

#### Our Government Tested Seeds!

We are very particular with all our alfalfa seed and take no chances. We have every car of it tested by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. We will not sell alfalfa seed unless it is free from Trefoil, Sweet Clover, and Dodder. Seed is too high for you to take any chances. Buy our Fancy Seed from us and have it tested. We take it back if it doesn't test right. Buy it early for the price will be higher.

#### PRICES

FANCY SEED. Per lb., postpaid, 40c. By freight, per bu., 25c; 20 lbs. (for 1 acre), \$3.75; per bu. (60 lbs.), \$10.50.

TURKESTAN SEED. Per lb., postpaid, 40c. By freight, per lb., 25c; 20 lbs. (for 1 acre), \$3.75; per bu. (60 lbs.), \$10.50.

When you are ready to buy ask us for prices and give the amount of seed you will need.

THESE PRICES GUARANTEED TILL FEBR. 1ST ONLY. Broadcast Seeders from \$1.65 up. See page 75.



Price \$1.75

Lee Co., Iowa, Nov. 2, 1912.

The Sweet Clover did very nicely, making a growth of about 1 foot, which you know is very good on the first year. All kinds of stock are fond of Sweet Clover as a pasture and as hay, if cut at the proper time. As a soil builder it is the most valuable of plants. T. C. KERR.

> TO KILL GOPHERS Use Gophergo. See page 71.



1.000 LBS. OF NITRATE PER ACRE PRODUCED BY

## HIGH-BRED NITROGEN GATHERING BACTERIA

SEED AND SOIL INOCULATIONS.

GARDEN PEAS, BEANS AND SWEET PEAS

yield earlier, better and longer when they are inoculated with Farmogerm. Farmogerm comes to you in bottles ready for use. You can inoculate the seed for ten acres in ten minutes. When you use Farmogerm there is no danger of trans-

ferring weed seeds, etc., throughout your farm. We strongly recommend these inoculations to all our customers.

For Alfalfa, Cow Peas, Soy Beans and Clover.

PRICES

5 ACRE SIZE BOTTLE \$9.00

1 ACRE SIZE BOTTLE \$2.00

GARDEN SIZE 50c

Sow 20 lbs. to Acre

## SWEET CLOVER

60 lbs. to Bushel

TURNS SAND INTO LOAM. FILLS THE SOIL WITH NITRO-GEN. IT WILL RE-DEEM THE WESTERN SAND HILLS.

#### A VALUABLE PLANT

This valuable forage plant, though once branded as a weed, is proving to be most valuable for our western semi-arid region. After two years the plant dies and the large roots decay, filling the soil with humus and vegetable fiber. This, in time, turns the sandy soil into a sandy loam which also has a tendency to make the soil more stable and less liable to blow.



TIME TO SOW

This seed can be sown in the spring or in the fall at the rate of from 15 to 20 lbs. per acre. It makes a large growth the first year and blooms and makes seed the second year and then dies. Many farmers in western Nebraska are now sowing their ground to Sweet Clover and the second year after cutting the crop, just before seeding, will sow it to Alfalfa. In this way they hold the soil from blowing and get their land seeded to Alfalfa.

#### GOOD AS ALFALFA

Many farmers claim that the forage from this plant is just as good as Alfalfa and just as readily eaten by the stock after they have become accustomed to it.

#### TIME TO CUT

If cut for hay, it should be cut when about two feet high and before the stem is woody. If cut just before the seed is matured, two years in succession, the plant dies out entirely.

#### GOOD QUALITIES

It will not grow in cultivated land nowwill it become a nuisance. It is most valuable for bees. Price, 35c per lb., postpaid. By freight, 25c per lb.; 5 lbs. for \$1.10; 10 lbs. for \$2.00; \$10.00 per bu.

I have had some experience with Sweet Clover in Saline Co., Nebr., and find that stock will eat it as well as Alfalfa hay when properly cured.

W. H. SCHULTZ.

## Other Clovers

60 lbs. to bu.

Our Clover Seeds are of the Highest Grade and Thoroughly Cleaned and Tested

Every farmer should have some land sowed in clover. It is of the greatest value for plowing under for supplying humus and nitrogen.

MEDIUM RED, COMMON OR JUNE CLOVER.

This is by far the most important of all the varieties for hay or pasture. Sow in Spring or Fall, and if no other grasses are used, at the rate of 8 to 12 pounds per acre. This clover is a bienial, and at best only lasts three years unless it is allowed to reseed itself, which should be done every two years. Fancy, per lb., 45c; postpaid. By freight, per lb., 35c; per bu. (60. lbs), \$13.50.

#### MAMMOTH RED, SAPLIN OR VINE CLOVER.

Quite distinct from Common Red Clover. It lasts longer and is two or three weeks later than the Common Red Clover, grows from 3 to 5 feet high and yields an enormous amount to the acre, especially valuable for hog feed and for plowing under green or worn out lands. Sow 12 lbs. seed to acre. Per lb., 40c, postpaid. By freight, 30c per lb.; per bu. (60 lbs.), \$13.75. WHITE DUTCH CLOVER. Best adapted to moist soils, but does well on any land. Sow 8 lbs. to acre. Per lb., 60c; postpaid. By freight, 1 lb., 50c; 5 lbs., \$2.40; 10 lbs., \$4.70.

ALSIKE OR SWEDISH CLOVER. One of the hardiest of all clovers. This clover is very nutritious, yields abundantly and can be cut several times during the season. It is good for pasture, green fodder or hay. The roots do not heave like those of Red Clover and for this reason it is especially adapted for wet, moist places. It does well on most any soil and re-sists the severest cold and extremes of drought and wet. We advise farmers to sow 2 or 3 pounds of this seed with their Red Clover and Timothy. If alone, sow 8 lbs. to the acre. Price per lb., 40c, postpaid. By freight, 30c per lb.; bu. (60 lbs.), \$14.50.

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Sow 21 to 28 lbs. per acre.

## Meadow Fescue or English Blue Grass

14 lbs. to bushel.

Hardy and very valuable for seed and pasture. Starts early in the spring and lasts until November and December. Just the grass for permanent pasture or meadow.

SOIL. On moist or wettish soil (not too wet) and on gumbo land the plant flourishes wonderfully, yields the heaviest and holds on more tenaciously than anywhere else.

For Pasture. It grows luxuriantly, the blades being broad, tender and nutritious, and springs up quickly after cropping. It starts early in the spring, affording most excellent picking by march 20 or 30, and in the fall will frequently keep cattle fat until late in November.

For Hay. Meadow Fescue should be cut soon after the blooms fall.

Seeding. Sow broadcast, 21 to 28 pounds of seed per acre on a well prepared bed, and harrow once lightly to cover the seed. Plant good, clean seed. The best seed is the cheapest to buy.

Cheat looks very much like Meadow Fescue. If you buy from us you are sure of getting the pure seed.

PRICES. By mail, 30c per lb. By freight, 20c per lb.; \$2.00 per bu. Write for prices on larger lots, stating amount you wish.

11/2 to 2 bu. per acre

## **Orchard Grass**

14 lbs. to the bu.

Because of its rapid growth orchard grass is one of the most valuable and popular of our domestic grasses. It is hardy and may be grown anywhere in the United States, except the extreme South and the arid regions of the West. It is a very hardy perennial, a vigorous grower and does as well in shade as in sunshine. It is about two weeks earlier than timothy and one of the last to succumb to frost in the fall.

Orchard Grass will stand repeated pasturing and mowing, makes from 2 to 6 tons of very nutritious hay. In many sections it may be grazed throughout the winter. It resists drouths remarkably well, and will succeed in any soil or climate where other grasses will grow.

The tendency of Orchard Grass to grow in tufts may be overcome by thorough preparation of the ground and liberal seeding or sowing with other grasses. It may be sown with good results at most any time from January to September, inclusive. Sow (if alone) 1½ to 2 bushels per acre. Price per lb., 35c, postpaid. By freight, per lb., 25c; per bu. (14 lbs.), \$2.75. Ask for prices in larger lots.

#### FANCY CLEAN GRASS SEEDS FOR ALL SOILS

CANADA BLUE GRASS. This is the blue grass of Canada, New York and the New England States. It does better on poor, clayey, thin soils than on rich land. It is smaller, grows closer to the ground and stands cold and drought better than Kentucky Blue Grass. Has a very blue color and flatish stems. Very nutritive and really a valuable grass. Not desirable for lawns. Per lb., 35c; postpaid. By freight, per lb., 25c; per bu. (14 lbs.), \$1.75.

KENTUCKY BLUE GRASS. This valuable grass is very productive, usually early and very desirable as a pasture grass. It comes in the spring and with a few rains during the summer will make good pasture until late fall. It is surprising how well this grass does in the West, even during the dry season. It is very desirable for lawns. Price, per lb., 35c; postpaid. By freight, per lb., 25c; per bu. (14 lbs.), \$2.25.

RED TOP. Valuable either for mixing in hay or permanent pasture grass. Succeeds almost everywhere but does best in moist, rich soil. It is being sown with Alsike in western Nebraska, with a great deal of satisfaction. It is often sown with Timothy and Clover. Price, fancy hulled, 35c per lb.; postpaid. By freight, per lb., 25c; per bu., \$3.25. Fancy unhulled, per lb., 25c; postpaid. By freight, per lb., 15c; per bu. (14 lbs.), \$1.65.

ENGLISH OR PERENNIAL RYE GRASS. This grass is considered invaluable for permanent pasture grass. Produces an abundance of remarkably fine foliage and soon forms a compact sod. After being cut it grows quickly and remains bright and green through the season. It is also a good variety for hay if cut when in blossom, as it is then most nutritious. Flourishes best in moist soil. Price, per lb., 25c; postpaid. By freight, per lb., 15c; per bu. (24 lbs.), \$2.25.

TIMOTHY. This grass is used extensively for hay and does well on most any soil. Sometimes grows to the height of 4 feet on rich loam. It is exceedingly nutritious, particularly when ripe. This grass is also used for pasture. It is, however, better for hay and is sown mostly with Red Clover. Price, per lb., 20c; postpaid. By freight, Fancy, per lb., 10c; per bu. (45 lbs.), \$2.75.

JOHNSON GRASS. As a meadow or hay grass this variety is highly esteemed in the South and during the hottest and driest season it can be depended on to yield heavily. It is hard to get rid of when once started and for this reason it should not be allowed to get started in cultivated lands Price, per lb., 35c; postpaid. By freight, per lb., 25c. Ask for price by 100 lbs.

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## GRISWOLD'S "READY QUICK" HOG PASTURE MIXTURE

GOOD FOR ONE SEASON ONLY

The last two or three years, and especially the last year, we have had a big demand for a Hog Pasture Mixture that would not only produce a large tonnage of green feed but one that would come on quick and be ready in a hurry.



To fill this demand we have made our "Ready Quick" Hog Pasture Mixture. It is especially good for hogs but equally desirable for cattle, sheep, calves and cows. It contains 14 different grains and forage plant seeds, practically all of which grow again if fed down.

> Griswold's "Ready Quick" Hog Pasture Mixture can be sown early and be ready to pasture in 6 or 8 weeks and should be in the finest kind of condition in July or August, just when your other pastures are dried up. It can also be sown in July or August and used as a fall pasture.

15 TONS GREEN FEED PER ACRE This Mixture should easily produce 15 tons of green fodder per acre during the season, and to have this come just as a time when you have nothing else to feed

your stock will be highly appreciated.

We recommend sowing 50 lbs. to the acre, and if your ground is very rich and strong we would say sow 75 to 100 lbs. and by all means keepit fed down, as the stock eat it better when it is young and tender. Be sure and give this valuable Mixture at least a small trial as you cannot possibly make any mistake by sowing it.
50 lbs. (for one acre), \$2.25; 100 lbs., \$4.00; 500 lb. lots or over, \$3.85 per 100 lbs. In less than 50

lb. lots., 5c per lb., or 15c per lb., postpaid.

Davies Co., Mo., Nov. 2, 1912.

Would say your Ready Quick Hog Pasture Mixture was really a surprise to me. It was a sight to see. It made an immense amount of pasture. I consider it a fine mixture for hogs and calves. S. G. MOONEY.

Sow 20 lbs. per acre.

## **BROMUS INERMUS**

14 lbs. to bu.

Grows in Dry, Semi-Arid Regions. Very Resistant to Drought and Freezing. Legnthens Season of Green Pasture.



Nebraska Experiment Station says: This is one of the principal grasses grown in the dry and semi-arid regions of Russia and Siberia. It starts very early in the spring, and continues growth until late in the fall. Brome grass spreads by means of underground rootstalks. As a hay crop, the grass usually furnishes good cuttings for two or three years, sometimes cutting three tons of cured hay per acre, after which the sod becomes so rootbound that the grass does not grow tall enough for hay (this can be overcome

by disking) but will furnish the best of pasture for several years.

PREPARATION OF LAND. The soil should always be in fine tilth and well packed. For spring sowing, a piece of fall plowing is most easily prepared and furnishes an almost ideal seed bed. If the land is plowed just preceding the sowing, it should be thoroughly worked down with disk and smoothing harrow until a fine, firm seed bed is made. SOWING THE SEED.

Sow early at least 20 pounds of seed alone broadcast per acre, or better disc in. Cover the seed by harrowing twice with smothing harrow. Do not be discouraged in case you should get a thin stand as the grass will thicken rapidly after the first season.

FALL SOWING. Sow 20 lbs. to the acre before September 15th, disk in on wheat or oat stubble; in this way one gets almost full use of the grass

next year.

Prices. Fancy Grade or Pure Seed. Per lb., 35c; 5 lbs., \$1.40; postpaid. By freight, per lb., 25c; per bu. (14 lbs.), \$2.50; 5 bu. lots, per bu., \$2.45; 100 lb. lots, per 100 lbs., \$16.75.

Write for prices on larger lots.

#### **GRASS MIXTURES**

MIXTURE FOR HOG PASTURE. This will be considered very heavy seeding and expensive, but if you have a hog pasture for keeps, you cannot afford to skimp on seed or limit the varieties. Alfalfa, Mammoth Clover, Red Clover, Alsike Clover, White Clover, Timothy, Blue Grass, Orchard Grass, Meadow Fescue. 25 lbs., per acre for \$4.25; per 100 lbs., \$16.00. Write for prices in larger lots.

UNIVERSITY GRASS MIXTURE. This is special mixture recommended by the University Experiment Station as the best for pasture. We mix it in the right proportion and use only

the very best grade of seed. Brome Grass, Meadow Fescue, Orchard Grass, Alfalfa. 24 lbs. per acre, \$4.20; per 100 lbs., \$16.50.
MIXTURE FOR HIGH LAND. Good for pasture

and hay. Brome Grass, Meadow Fescue, Orchard Grass, Timothy, Alfalfa and Red Clover mixed in proper proportions. 20 lbs. per acre,

\$3.25; per 100 lbs., \$15.00.

MIXTURE FOR LOW, DAMP SOIL. Can be cut for hay but better for pasture. Kentucky Blue-Grass, Red Top, Meadow Fescue, Alsike Clover, English Rye Grass and Timothy. 20 lbs. per acre, \$2.30; per 100 lbs., \$11.00.

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BROADCAST SEEDERS, See Pages 75-76.



tried with good success. The plant somewhat resembles a pea vine. The long, slender stems are thickly covered with leaves which make nice succulent feed.

TIME TO SOW. When sown in August or September, Sand Vetch will cover the ground before Winter and will remain green during the cold weather. Thus it will furnish green feed in the late Autumn after the grasses have all died, and in the early Spring before they have started. When there is no snow, Vetch can be pastured all winter.

FOR ORCHARDS. In Michigan Sand Vetch is being used very extensively as a cover and green manure crop for orchards. Being sown in the Fall, it prevents the snow from drifting and produces a large amount of organic matter for plowing under in the spring when orchard culti-

vation should begin.

RYE AND VETCH. RYE AND VETCH. If grown in the spring with Rye or Oats as a support for the vines, Vetch will make from 10 to 15 tons of green fodder or 3 to 4 tons of cured hay per acre. Sand Vetch will thrive on soil so light and sandy that no other crop will live. The fibrous tap root reaches down to a depth of 2 or 3 feet and will get moisture. Fall sown Vetch keeps the soil from washing during the Winter and early Spring and thus saves a great deal of the soluble minclover does, and is much cheaper than commercial fertilizer.

We believe Vetches will prove very valuable for Western Nebraska and Eastern Colorado.

Prices. Per lb., 30c; postpaid. By freight, per lb., 20c; 30 lbs. (for 1 acre), \$3.00; per bu., \$6.75.

Prices subject to change.

#### MILLETS

50 lbs. to bu.

Bushel

GERMAN MILLET. German Millet will grow in any climate or soil. It is a strong grower and will yield enormous crops of the finest hay. Sow any time between May 1st and August 1st. Price 15c per lb., postpaid. By freight 4c lb., \$1.05 per bu.

SIBERIAN. (Also called Red German, Dakota and Earliest Russian Millet.) It is from 2 to 4 weeks earlier than German millet, and can be cut for hay in 60 days from planting. The blades are wide, the straw fine and soft and does not make as much hay as German millet. It stools heavily. Sow 34 bu. broadcast or 1/2 bu. in drill to the acre for hay, on rich land. Price 15c per lb., postpaid. By freight 4c per lb.; \$1.05 per bu. (50 lbs.).

JAPANESE BARNYARD MILLET. (Called "Billion Dollar Grass" owing to its high value.)

Its greatest value is for green fodder, of which it yields 3 to 5 tons per acre. It is excellent for cows, producing more milk than corn fodder. It grows 6 to 8 feet high, and produces 50 to 90 bushels of seed per acre. It should be sown to give best results the latter half of May at the rate of 10 pounds per acre. Price, per lb., 18c; 3 lbs., 50c; postpaid. By freight, per lb., 5c; 25 lbs., \$1.00; 50 lbs., \$1.75; 100 lbs.,

HOG, OR BROOM CORN MILLET. This millet yields enormously of seed, often 60 to 70 bushels to the acre. Price 15c per lb., postpaid. By freight 5c per lb.; \$1.30 per bu.

HUNGARIAN. (Dark Seed.) About one week earlier and requires less moisture than German millet. Price 15c per lb., postpaid. By freight 5c per lb., \$1.30 per bu.

#### Pencilaria or Pearl Millet

It grows luxuriantly on any soil suitable for corn, especially on rich land, where it will grow 10 to 12 feet high, but cutting should commence when 2½ to 5 feet. After being cut it will stool out enormously, become thicker and during the warm weather grow with marvelous luxuriance. It also does well on poor soil. Very desirable in districts subject to drouth as it continues to grow in dry weather, though, of course, not so

rapidly. Looks more like cane than millet.

Sow 2 to 3 lbs. per acre in drills 3 feet apart.

Do not plant until warm weather. Price 25c per lb., postpaid. By freight, 15c per lb.; 5 lbs., 65; 10 lbs. for \$1.10.

For chickens or stock. Big Grain yielder.

### **NEW SHALLU**

One seed makes from 3 to 6 Stalks.

A NON-SACCHARINE SORGHUM from India, where it is extensively cultivated under the name of "Shallu."

"It is more valuable than Kaffir Corn for grain, as it yields considerably more seed, it being of stooling habit, producing all the way from three to six stalks from a single grain, and it is quite a drought register. The heads grow similar to Broom Corn, forming large heads of round, plump, white seeds. It is an excellent feed for horses and cattle, and for chicken feed it is unexcelled. Can be popped the same as Pop-corn, being more crisp than Pop-corn. When ground it makes an excellent flour for pancakes. It is more of a grain crop than a forage crop. It will produce more seed than any of the cane or sorghum family and about double the amount of either Red or White Kaffir Corn."

Sow in rows three feet apart, three to five pounds of seed per acre. For fodder, sow half to one bushel either broadcast or in drills. \*Give it a trial.

Price, pkt., 5c; 1 lb., 20c; 5 lbs., 90c, postpaid. By freight or express, at your expense, 1 lb., 10c; 10 lbs., 65c; 50 lbs., \$2.75; 100 lbs., \$5.00.

2 or 3 bu., 50 lbs. to bu., broadcast, per acre for fodder.

## CANE OR SORGHUM

5 lbs. in rows per acre for seed.

Feeding Value. It is known quite definitely that an acre of sorghum will produce more food value, more pounds of beef or pork, when properly fed, than an acre of corn. The main use of the crop, however, is for a winter supply of forage, and it has this advantage over corn or any other kind of grain, that it can be sown late. It furnishes fodder in 70 to 90 days and matured seed in about 100 days.

Time to Sow. Sorghum may be put in almost any time up to the middle of July. June is the best time. Sow broadcast because the fodder will grow fine, will cure better, and will give better results in feeding. Eighty days will produce a very satisfactory crop. Sow 10 lbs. in rows for cultivation.

The Soil. Select the thinnest soil and highest part of your farm for sorghum. On this soil it is not so likely to fall down in season of excessive rainfall. Molasses growers know how rich in sweetness is sorghum grown on clay soils, and the sugar is the valuable part when grown for stock feeding. Have the ground free from clods and do not plant more than one inch deep except in very light soil.

Harvesting. Harvest as late as possible to avoid hard frost, in order that the fodder will retain its sweetness and succulence. It is then cut, when sown broadcast, with a mower and allowed to dry for a week or ten days, after which it may be put up in shocks weighing about 500 pounds and allowed to stand until fed.

Price, per lb., 15c; postpaid. By freight, 5c per lb.; \$1.05 per bu. (50 lbs.). Subject to change. Ask for prices on Larger Lots.

Good for Chickens

#### KAFFIR CORN

50 lbs. to bu.

This is a most excellent fodder plant, yielding two crops of fodder during a season. It grows from five to six feet high, making a straight upright growth. The stem, or stalk, bears numerous wide leaves. The stalks keep green and are brittle and juicy, making an excellent fodder either green or dried.

The seed crop is also heavy, sometimes yielding sixty bushels to the acre. Both grain and fodder are excellent. The stalk remains tender to full maturity of seed. There is no failure about it as it possesses the quality that all the tribe possess, of going without rain without any loss of capacity to yield.

The grain is extremely valuable for feeding to poultry and will make a flour that is like wheat. Cultivated the same as our common Indian corn, requiring five pounds of seed per acre. For fodder sow one to two bushels, either broadcast or in drills.

Price, per lb., 15c; postpaid. By freight, 5c per lb.; per bu., 85c. Subject to change. Ask for prices for larger lots.

It waits for rain

## MILO MAIZE BROWN DURAH

50 lbs. to bu.

Milo Maize is an excellent grain for dryregions. It will yield 15 bushels to the acre under conditions so dry that corn will be a total failure. When fed with some succulent feed such as alfalfa, stock beets or sorghum, it makes fine feed for fattening cattle. To prevent waste, Milo Maize should be fed in heads or ground. Plant 4 to 6 pounds per acre in rows and cultivate.

Price, per lb., 15c; postpaid. By freight, 5c per lb.; \$1.05 per bu.





#### DWARF ESSEX

SOW 5 LBS. TO ACRE

Produces feed in from six to ten weeks from sowing. Grows two to four feet high. Produces from 25 to 30 tons of green feed to the acre.

When one considers that rape will produce good, succulent feed in from six to ten weeks from sowing, he can in a measure realize its value. Rape looks much like ruta baga tops, growing from two to four feet high, has broad, rich, juicy leaves which are liked very much by cattle, sheep and hogs, and continues to grow after being continually eaten off. It is estimated that the feeding qualities of rape are probably twice as great as those of clover.

Rape can be planted early for early feed; can be sown in oats and fed after the oats are cut; can be sown in corn in the last plowing. This is a good plan when the corn is to be cut green for feed, as it will leave the rape ready for pasturing after the corn is taken off. Rape is an annual, and will not become a weed or a nuisance as it does not live through the winter. We do not recommend it for cows as it may taint the milk. Stock fed on rape must have plenty of salt.

#### FOR CHICKENS

Rape makes the best green food for chickens. It can be sown early and the chickens will have good, rich food all summed from one planting. They like it better than garden truck and it is much cheaper.

#### FINE FOR HOGS

We are satisfied that with the same preparation of the ground and with the expenditure of 25 or 30 cents per acre for seed, a man can grow as much pork from an acre of rape, well managed. as he can from an acre of corn, and grow his pork at a time of year when corn is usually high priced and often scarce.

#### GOOD FOR PIGS

The pigs may usually be turned into it five or six weeks after seeding, and an acre will carry from twenty-five to forty during the season. It is better to divide the field into two parts and change pastures at intervals.

#### RAPE FOR YOUNG CATTLE

Calves relish a small amount of rape at a very early age and do well on it when fed judiciously. Young cattle thrive on it when it is fed in connection with natural grass pasture. Steers intended for stall feeding or late fall marketing cannot be better cared for than be allowed the run of a good field of rape.

Per lb., 18c; postpaid. By freight, per lb., 10c; PRICES: Genuine Imported Dwarf Essex Rape. 3 lbs., 25c; 13 lbs., \$1.00; 50 lbs., \$3.75; 100 lbs., \$7.25. Price subject to change.

With oats 11/4 bu. per acre 2 bu. per acre if alone.

#### FIELD PEAS

60 lbs. to bushel

#### Canada Field Peas

The Canada Field Pea is a true pea; and should be sown early in the spring, germinating at the same time as oats. It is grown very largely in some portions of Colorado as a sheep feed, and in Canada takes the place of clover, belonging as it does to the same family, which has the merit of being able to use the free nitrogen of the atmosphere.

The Canada Field Pea can be used to advantage anywhere in this state, in connection with oats, as an early feed for hogs. If sown at the same time as oats in the latitude of Lincoln it will be ready for hogs about the 25th of June. In the extreme northern part of Nebraska it would probably take to the first week in July. The peas by that time are in the dough stage and will furnish the earliest grain feed that can be grown on the farm.

Disk the ground as early as possible in the spring, sow the peas at the rate of 1¼ bushels to the acre, plow under about three inches deep, then sow 1 bushel oats or barley broadcast and harrow thoroughly. If merely covered with the harrow a heavy rain will uncover a good many of them. The grain is sown to furnish support for the peas, to more fully occupy the land, and to give variety of feed. This should make from 2 to 3 tons of cured hay per acre. Price 20c per lb., postpaid. By freight, 10c per lb.; 90c peck; \$3.00 per bu. Price subject to change.

#### Cow Peas

COW PEAS. Highly recommended to plant with oats or Kaffir corn, increasing the fertility of the soil for the succeeding crop and leaving the ground mellow and clean from weeds. Do not plant until the weather has become warm; sow 2 bushels if alone, and 1 bushel if with other seeds. They make from 1 to 3 tons of hay per acre.

WHIPPOORWILL. Early, bunch-growing variety. Per lb., 20c, postpaid. By freight, 10c per lb.; 90c peck; \$3.00 per bu. (60 lbs.). Price subject to change.

NEW ERA. An early variety. Maturing seed in from 80 to 100 days. Probably the best sort for North and West. Can be sown after wheat is taken off the ground and still produce a good crop of forage or peas. Prices, by mail, postpaid, 20c lb. By freight, 10c per lb.; 90c peck, bu. (60 lbs.), \$3.00. Prices subject to change.



Unrehasers of Griswold's Western Grown seed corn can rely upon good varieties. All of our seed corn is prepared by experienced seedmen. We do not have boys in our employ in this work. Furthermore, each variety of seed corn is kept entirely separate. Our seed corn is brought to our warehouse in the ear. Here the ears are carefully haud picked and only perfect ones, with sound corn, are saved. The poor corn goes to the grinder for feed, while the perfect ears are send to the butting and tipping machine, which shells off the butts and tips, leaving only the perfect, regular sized kernel for seed. After shelling, the seed corn is run through a large cleaning machine, equipped with separating screens. A powerful fan ou mill blows out all trash and light kernels. Before our seed corn is shipped out it is placed in our Seed Tester, the plans for which were endorsed by the United States Department of Agriculture. Here it must test out at least 90 per cent. Farmers cannot run the risk of a poor stand. Better let us furnish something that we have tested and know is good.

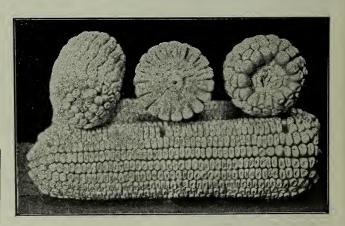
#### BOONE CO. WHITE

BOONE COUNTY WHITE.—Very best of white corn, of extra large size, good yielder and medium early. Quality is excellent and is particularly adapted for milling purposes, making a fine white meal. Withstands the dry weather and winds remarkably well. Price, Pkt., 10c; pint, 20c; quart, 30c, postpaid. By freight, ½ peck, 40c; peck, 70c; ½ bu., \$1.25; bu., \$2.00; shelled only.

Polk Co., Nebr., Mar. 28, 1912.

I received the seed corn the next day, after I wrote you about it. I have tested it and I find it is all right.

W. R. DONELSON.



#### **UNIVERSITY NO. 3**

A NEW EARLY YELLOW CORN ORIGINATED BY THE NEBRASKA STATE UNIVERSITY.

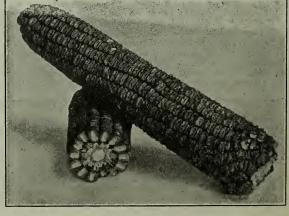
The following description is made by Prof. E. G. Montgomery, A. M.:

"There is usually a demand for early corn in Nebraska. In the southern part of the state many farmers desire a small field of early corn for fall feed.

"In testing out many varieties of farmers' corns, we chanced to test a variety of early corn grown by a farmer in Wayne county. It gave good results and more seed was secured in 1906 and a breeding plat established at the Experiment Station, where it has been selected since ,and improved in type.

"The ear tends to be rather long, and the grain is about as broad as long. Color, yellow, averages 12 to 14 rows to the ear. Matures in 90 to 100 days, which makes it safe to plant in Southern Nebraska, June 10th to 15th, In Northern Nebraska it is just right for a full season corn."

Our seed was grown from this University stock and although the season was very unfavorable it made 60 bushels per acre, field



favorable it made 60 bushels per acre, field run. Price, pkt., 10c; pt., 20c; qt., 30c; postpaid. By freight, ½ peck, 50c; peck, 95c; ½ bushel, \$1.50; bushel, \$2.50. Shelled enly.

HOGUE'S YELLOW DENT. This corn is highly endorsed by the State Experimental Station and is one of the very best corns for Nebraska or Kansas. Ears are medium size to large, maturing in about 100 days.

PRIDE OF THE NORTH. This is a well known variety; beautiful, deep dented, fine golden color, small ear, but a tremendous sheller. Will run about 40 to 75 bushels to the acre, ripens

in 85 to 90 days, is hardy and vigorous.

IMPROVED LEAMING. A rich golden colored dent corn, good size ears, rich in protein, wedge shape kernels, medium size cob, a strong, vigorous grower, quite early, ripening in 90 to 95 days.

CALICO. That fine ,large, variegated corn that always yields well and makes big ears. This

corn always gets ripe before frost.

YELLOW FLINT. The corn for the extreme North. Ears long, of rich color. Very produc-tive, outyielding any flint corn we have ever

WHITE FLINT. Similar to yellow, except color. Stalks usually bear 2 or 3 long ears, having 8 to

10 rows of hard, white corn.

SILVER MINE. Stalks grow 7 or 8 feet high. every stalk has an ear, often 2 or 3 ears, set about 4 feet from the ground. Ears long, heavy, generally with 18 rows of broad, semitransparent white kernels on a white cob.

PAWNEE COUNTY YELLOW DENT PREMIUM YELLOW CORN. This corn took the highest prie of all yellow corn shown at the 1908 Nebraska Corn Exhibit. It was selected from Reid's Yellow Dent. It has been making large yields. It yields from 75 to 80 bushels under good conditions. Give it a trial.

WHITE CAP BUTCHER. The White Cap Butcher is a medium large early red corn with white cap; will mature in 85 to 90 days and be good

and sound. It is a large yielder.

NEBRASKA WHITE PRIZE. Ears are large and well filled at both ends, the white cob being hardly visible. The corn is medium early, and yields frequently 75 bushels to the acre.

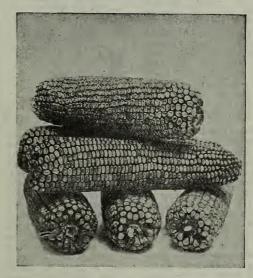
GOLD MINE. The grain is a rich golden, shining like new coin from the mint; dent, long, deep; kernel often over three-fourths of an inch long. This corn will shell more pounds to seventy pounds of ears than any corn we know of.

IMPROVED REID'S YELLOW DENT. Has a wide reputation, and is endorsed by more experimental stations than any other corn grown. Has heavy stalks with an abundance of blades, making extra fine fodder. It will ripen in 90 to 100 days and will yield from 50 to 80 bushels per acre ordinary farming.

FUNK'S YELLOW DENT, STRAIN 140. This Funk's Yellow Dent is an improvement of Reid's Yellow Dent, and has the same general characteristics. The ears are from 8 to 11 inches long, cylindrical in shape from butt to tip, with 18 to 20 rows on a small cob. The kernels set very close together with no open space between.

PRICE OF ALL ABOVE CORN

Pkt., 10c; pint, 20c; quart, 30c; postpaid. By freight, ½ peck,, 40c; peck, 70; ½ bushel, \$1.25; bushel, \$2.00. Shelled only.



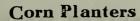
FUNK'S YELLOW DENT

#### Combined Tipper and Sheller

This is just the machine you have been looking for. It butts and tips your corn and then shells it. Also has an attachment for shelling pop corn. These machines are well made, extremely handy, you can more than pay pay for one by shelling and tipping your seed corn and then have it for next year Price, complete....\$1.10



Furnas Co., Nebr., Nov. 1, '12. I have had some experience with Sweet Clover in Saline Co., Neb., and find that stock will eat it as well as alfalfa hay when W. H. SCHULTZ. properly cured.



No. 1. Good, reliable two hand corn planter. Price .....

No. 2. Segment one hand corn planter, adjustable for planting all kinds of corn. Has pumpkin seed attach-

Price .....\$1.25

For other Tools, Seeders, etc., see Pages 74-75.



Hall Co., Nebr., 11-18-12. We like Sand Vetch very much. We got two loads from three acres. Horses and Cows like it very much. WILLIAM MARTH.

## KHERSON OATS

#### Known as University Oats, No. 1

Hardy and good yielder. Largest yield in Nebraska 112 bushels to acre; frequently yields 80 bushels per acre; two to three weeks

earlier than common oats



Kherson Oats, when ripe, a beautiful yellow in color. They have fine large a beautiful yellow in color. They have fine large spangled or full heads, which frequently contain more than 100 seeds. A good idea is obtained from illustration, which is taken from an actual photograph. The straw is stiff and does not lodge or rust. The leaves are broad, frequently 3-4 of an inch wide. They extend to the roots and are so pliable that they stay on even through threshing. The straw makes an unusually good fodder and is eaten greedily and with profit by fodder and is eaten greedily and with profit by all kinds of stock. While the kernel is a little an kinds of stock. While the kernel is a little small, the berry, when the hull is off, is extra large. We have never found a grain so small but what it contained a well developed seed. This is not true of the large oats.

Vield. Under favorable conditions Kherson Oats have yielded as high as 112 bushels to the acre in Nebraska. At the Experimental Station at North Platte the yield averages about 50 bushels to the acre.

In a good favorable year Kherson Oats are three weeks earlier than common oats, thus losing by two weeks the risk of hail and two weeks better chances for a crop.

We have never sold anything that gave such universal satisfaction. In 1905 we sold over 9,000 bushels of Kherson Oats; in 1906 almost 11,000 with increasing sales each year since. These immense amounts go out in from 3 to 50 bushel lots to almost every state in the Union, and espe-cially Iowa, Illinois, Kansas, Missouri, and Oklahoma. All these states report the yield from 10 to 30 bushels more per acre than Texas Red, Champion and other Oats. Customers who bought these oats when we first introduced them are now buying to secure a new start.

Buy direct from us and you get the pure seed—

no substituting.

Sow on rich soil. Reports show that they do not lodge even on bottom land. They will not give satisfaction on poor soil. Sow 21/2 bushels

If you order only oats, remember the freight will be no more for three bushels than one bushel.

We have handled the Kherson Oat since its adaptability to our soil and climate has been proven.

Prices, 1 bu., 80c; 5 bu., \$3.75; 10 bu., \$7.00; 25 to 50 bu. lots, per bu., 65c. These prices are sacked f. o. b. cars, Lincoln, Nebraska.

#### REGENERATED SWEDISH SELECT OATS

These oats were introduced for the first time three years ago. They were "crosbred" by the Garten Seed Company of England, and the system that they used was such that it increased their vitality and put them back to their original standard of high excellence. Under this system the oats were made to weigh 52 pounds to the measured bushel. We had a small lot of these oats planted for us and they yielded a little more than twice as much as common oats under the same conditions. This season we are offering oats grown from last year's stock. Our grower says, "They beat all other kinds two to one in yield and quality."

Price, by mail, 1 lb., 20c; 3 lbs., 55c. By freight, 1 lb., 10c; ½ peck, 25c; 1 peck, 35c; 1 bu., 80c; 5 bu., \$3.75.

#### SPELTZ OR EMMER

Drill 2 bu., or if broadcast, 3 bu. to the acre. 40 lbs., to the bu.

This grain resembles barley except that it has two berries in each hull. Sow it in place of oats. Grain is just as good for stock. Better than barley for hogs. It is liked by horses, sheep and cattle. Its straw makes feed equal to prairie hay. It produces from 50 to 100 bushels of seed per acre, and yields well in dry years when other small grains are a failure, and will grow anywhere in the corn belt and as far north as wheat will grow. As the grain is very rich in protein, it makes a most nutritious feed. Cut when middling green, as it threshes easier, and the straw makes better hay.

Farmers who planted this seed last year found it to be a most valuable crop for dry seasons. While it grows just as well in the eastern part of this state as wheat, oats and other grains, It is especially valuable where the rainfall is light. Price, 1 lb., 25c postpaid, 35c. By freight, per bushel (40 lbs.), 80c; 10 bu. lots. 75c. Price

subject to change.

BLACK WINTER SPELTS. See next page.

ALL PRICES QUOTED ON THIS PAGE GOOD UNTIL FEBRUARY 1, ONLY.

## BARLEY

PRICES GOOD TILL FEBRUARY 1, ONLY

white hulless. A valuable variety, has large heads, plump kernels, both hulless and beardless and looks like large white wheat. It is two or three weeks earlier than any other barley and an immense yielder. As it stools wonderfully, sow only 1½ bushels per acre. \$2.00 per bushel.

COMMON. Succeeds best on lands more sandy and lighter than those adapted to wheat. Sow from 2 to 2½ bushels per acre. Per bu., \$1.35.

MANDSCHEURI. It is an early six-rowed variety, maturing 80 to 90 days from the time of sowing; is very strong strawed and stools well, bearing large heads of plump grain, adapted to all kinds of soil and climate. Per bushel, \$1.50.

CHAMPION. It is beardless and nice to handle. Grows tall and stands up well. Straw is good and grows taller than any other variety. Per bushel, \$1.50.

## **Broom Corn**

46 lbs. to Bushel

oklahoma dwarf. This variety possesses several features of merit which distinguish it from others and place it at the head, viz.: Its earliness, dwarf habit (5 feet high), robust growth, extreme productiveness, long, well-fibered brush and above all, its ability to resist drouth. Prices, per lb., 20c, postpaid. By express or freight, 25 lb. lots, per lb., 4c; per bu., \$1.75.

IMPROVED EVERGREEN. The best variety for general cultivation on account of color and quality of brush. Price, 15c per lb., postpaid. By freight, per lb., 5c; per bu., \$1.50.

DWARF. Grows from 3 to 4 feet high, straight brush. Used for making whisks and brushes. Price, 1 lb., 15c, postpaid. By freight, per lb., 5c; per bu., \$1.50.

## Macaroni Kubanka Wheat

This wheat is tall, with broad, smooth leaves. The heads are large, heavily bearded, and have much the appearance of barley. The kernels are large, very hard, having less starch than common wheat. Largely used in the manufacture of Macaroni, and makes excellent flour.

The habit of growth adapts Macaroni Wheat to regions of light rainfall, having great ability to

withstand drought and heat. It requires rich soil, but will grow in alkali.

Reports show a better yield per acre of Macaroni or Durum Wheat than other spring varieties. Sow early in the spring, as it is not easily injured by frost. Price, 50c per peck; \$1.40 per bu.; 2 to 10 bu., \$1.30 per bu.

Turkey Red Winter Wheat, Flax and Winter Rye-Ask for Prices in Fall.

Seeds in 70 to 75 days

## **Buckwheat**

52 lbs. to Bushel

JAPANESE. This sort has proven to be much earlier and more productive than any other variety. The grains are very large and of rich. brown color. It excels in yield and earliness. Lb., 25c; 3 lbs., 60c; postpaid. By freight or express, peck, 60c; bu., \$2.00.

SILVER HULL. A very good and popular variety. The grain is of light gray color, is

rounder than the common variety, matures earlier, and yields a half more to the acre. Lb., 20c; 3 lbs., 45c; postpaid. By express or freight, peck, 60c; bu., \$2.00.

COMMON. Sown in June, broadcast, at the rate of 2 to 3 pecks per acre. Lb., 25c; 3 lbs., 60c; postpaid. By freight or express, peck, 60c; bu., \$1.95.

## Winter Wheat and Black Speltz

BLACK WINTER SPELTZ. Is larger, darker in color, heavier in straw and head, with larger stooling power and is much more hardy and prolific than the original type. A good drouth resister. It should succeed any place where winter wheat can be grown.

BUFFUM'S NO. 17 WINTER WHEAT. ..Is the only Beardless Winter Wheat which is hardy and drouth resistant. It is a native of the mountain region. An extraordinary winter wheat for dry farming. An excellent yielder.

Send in your name now for Fall Catalogue for Prices.

#### On Alkali Lands You Can Sow

BROME GRASS

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COMMON MILLET

SWEET CLOVER

CANADA FIELD PEAS S

SAND VETCH

DWARF ESSEX RAPE CORN SAVER BEET

ALL PRICES GUARANTEED TO FEBRUARY 1, ONLY



A BIG MONEY MAKER! KEEPS HOGS HEALTHY!
Fattens Hogs for Oue-Tenth the Price of Corn

A Money Maker. Some three years ago we, like other farmers, began wondering how we could fatten hogs without feeding so much high priced corn. After considerable experimenting along the line of feeding alfalfa hay, beets, etc., we finally decided sugar beets the better thing, for sugar is always fattening. That year we secured from Germany a new sugar beet that was extra rich in sugar considering its size and other qualities. We tried it out thoroughly and it proved to be all we could desire. We decided to name it CORN SAVER BEET. We have sold this beet all over the United States and the people are writing us in glowing terms how much they like it and how valuable they have found it for feeding not only hogs, but also milk-cows, cattle and calves.

How to Feed. ..We began feeding our hogs 1-3 corn, 1-3 alfalfa hay and 1-3 of the new CORN SAVER BEET. The amount of alfalfa hay and corn can be reduced from time to time until you will not have to average more than one small ear of corn to each hog, with very

little alfalfa hay and the balance CORN SAVER BEET. Give them all they can eat and the hogs will get rolling fat and healthy. Our experience proves we have struck something that will make the profit on hog raising several times greater than heretofore, and believe will entirely do away with hog cholera.

Yield. Our largest yield was close to 80 tons per acre. The beets grow very large, frequently weigh 28 lbs. They grow about half out of the ground and are thus very easily harvested. They are two or three times as large as the regular factory sugar beet and are much better for stock.

Amount to Sow. It is an easy matter to raise these CORN SAVER BEETS. Simply sow on deep plowed soil, 10 lbs. to the acre, from April to June, in rows 18 inches to 2 feet apart. Thin plants to 8 inches in the row—transplant young plants to fill vacancies. Cultivate thoroughly with a five-tooth cultivator or an ordinary one row corn cultivator and you will have one of the largest money making crops you ever raised. Beet hulls are thick. If it is dry soak seed 24 hours in water before planting.

Price. By freight, 10 lbs. (enough for 1 acre), \$4.50; 5 lbs., \$2.00; 1 lb., 45c. By mail, 1 lb., 55c; ½ lb., 30c; oz., 10c; pkt., 5c.

#### **TABLE**

Showing Number of Pounds to the Bushel, and amount of Seed Necessary for an acre.

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Alfalfa 60		0	to	30	Kentucky Blue Grass 14	21	to	30
Alsike Clover 60	) (	6	to	8	Meadow Fescue (English Blue			
Barley 48		8	to	96	Grass)14	21	to	28
Beans 60	7	5	to	100	Milo Maize 50	4	to	6
Billion Dollar Grass 40	1:	2	to	20	Millet (except as noted) 50	25	to	50
Buckwheat 52	2	5	to	40	Oats 32	32	to	64
Broom Corn 46	3 1	0	to	12	Onion Sets bottoms 32			
Brome Grass 14	2	5	to	40	Onion Sets tops 28			
Blue Grass Kentucky 14	2	5	to	30.	Orchard Grass14	25	to	30
Blue Grass English 14	2	1	to	28	Pearl Millet 50	5	to	8
Cane in Drills 50	)	6	to	8	Peas field or smooth garden 60	90	to	120
Cane for Fodder Broadcast 50	10	0	to	150	Peas wrinkled 56			
Clover Alsike 60	)	6	to	8	Peanuts 24	24	to	30
Clover, Red 60	) 1	2	to	15	Pencilaria 50	5	to	8
Clover, White Dutch 60	)	6 °	to	8	Potatoes, Irish, good measure 60	480	to	600
Corn 56	3	8	to	10	Potatoes, sweet 50			
Corn, on Ear 70	)				Rape 60	5	to	6
Cow Peas 60	) 6	0	to	90	Red Top 14	20	to	30
English Blue Gross (Meadow					Red Clover 60	12	to	15
Fescue) 14	1 2	1	to`	28	Rye 56	72	to	90
Flax 56	3 2	8	to	42	Rye Grass, English or Perennial 24	50	to	60
Hemp 44	1 3	0	to	60	Speltz, or Emmer 40	80	to	120
Japanese Millet 40		0	to	15	Sweet Clover 60	6	to	8
Johnson Grass 25		5	to	50	Timothy 45	15	to	20
Kaffir Corn 50	5	0	to	100	Wheat 60	60	to	90
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IMPORTANT.—Seed potatoes should be changed every year. The necessity for doing so is universally admitted by all potato growers, especially when the best seeds can be had at so little additional outlay.

Our Northern Grown Seeds were produced by potato specialists, who have grown for us for years. They use first-class potato land, pure, well-matured, good sized seeds. When necessary tney treat the seeds and spray the foliage.

#### RED RIVER EARLY OHIO

This is the most popular early potato in this country. We have more calls for it than any other early variety. Every potato grower knows what it is, and knows just about what it will do in his locality. It is the standard extra early the world over, and other varieties are measured by it. We have an extra choice strain of Early Ohio. Our Red River Valley stock, grown in North Dakota last fall, is the earliest, purest, and altogether the handsomest stock of Early Ohio potatoes to be found anywhere, and as fine as one cares to see. The tubers are smooth and regular in shape, free from prongs, perfectly pure and full of vigorous life. They are selected with the utmost care, and the result is grand, such as to delight everyone who knows and appreciates a good potato. Price, peck, 35c; bu., \$1.10; barrel (net 165 lbs.), \$2.90; 25 bu. lots or over at \$1.00 per bushel, sacked. These prices good till Feb. 1st. Ask for price when you are ready to order.

#### **EXTRA EARLY POTATOES**

ACME. The most profitable early potato in cultivation. Fit to eat in six weeks and crop fully matured in ten weeks from planting. Prolific yielder; tubers are oblong, smooth; skin flesh color; flesh white; upright strong vines with tubers growing compactly in the hill. Eyes shallow, quality excellent, mealy and of fine flavor. Keeps well. Price, peck, 40c; bu., 1.25; barrel (net 165 lbs.). \$3.60.

EARLY SIX WEEKS. Another potato of the Ohio type in great demand. Not the heaviest

yielder, but good sized, smooth, round to oblong, tubers in eating condition before the well-known Early Ohio. Grown in Nebraska. Price, peck, 40c; bu., \$1.25; barrel (net 165 lbs.), \$3.60.

RED TRIUMPH. Earlier than any other desirable for the first "new potatoes." Tubers nearly round, medium in size, reddish pink in color. Price, peck, 55c; bu., \$1.25; barrel (net 165 lbs.), \$3.60.

#### MAIN CROP POTATOES

CARMAN NO. 3.. This potato is of large and uniform size, yielding immense crops. It is of perfect form. It has but a few eyes, and they are shallow; the skin and flesh are extremely white and its cooking qualities are very fine. It is a remarkably handsome potato, enormously prolific. Keeps well. Price, peck, 40c; bu., \$1.00; barrel (net 165 lbs.). \$2.90.

RURAL NEW YORKER. It is very large, unusually smooth, with few and shallow eyes; form slightly oblong, and rather flattened. Skin and flesh white, quality excellent, season intermediate. Tubers of great uniformity in size, almost every one marketable. It holds a leading place as a standard field cropper. Price, peck, 40c; bu., \$1.00; barrel (net 165 lbs.), \$2.90.

PRICES ON ALL POTATOES GUARANTEED TILL FEBR. 1, ONLY.

Tubular Hand Potato Planter. Price, \$1.25, by express.

For Sprayers and Insecticides see Pages 70-71.

Acme Hand Potato Planter, 80c, by express.





## Vegetable Seeds

At prices named we pay postage on all seeds ordered by the Packet, Ounce, Pound, Pint and Quart. DISCOUNT ON SEEDS IN PACKETS

ANY 6 OF OUR LARGE 5c PACKAGES FOR 25c



SPARGET.

ASPARAGUS 1 oz. to 50 ft. of drill; 5 lbs. to the acre

Sow in March or April, in good mellow soil, after soaking the seed 24 hours in warm water, in drills one foot apart, and one inch deep. During the summer keep the soil mellow and free from weeds, thinning the plants to 4 inches apart. The following spring transplant into permanent beds that have been deeply dug and highly manured.

CONOVER'S COLOSSAL. A mammoth, green sort of the best quality. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 70c; postpaid.

BARR'S MAMMOTH. An early, large-stemmed, green variety. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 70c; postpaid.

PALMETTO. ALMETTO. An early, green sort, prolific and very desirable. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 70c; postpaid.

COLUMBIAN MAMMOTH WHITE. Produces white stalks of large size and finest quality. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 25c; lb., 70c; postpaid.

#### ASPARAGUS ROOTS

The ground should be well manured and deeply spaded, the roots planted two feet apart, one foot apart in the row, and at least six inches deep. These will be ready to use in two to three years. 15c per dozen; 50 for 60c; \$1.00 per 100, postpaid; 35c for 50; 60c per 100, by express at your expense.

#### ASPARAGUS CULTURE

A book giving all possible details as to Growing, Soil, Marketing, Canning, etc., for home use or market, 174 pages. Cloth, 50c; postpaid.

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We Grow Great Quantities of Cabbage, Cauliflower, Celery, Tomato and Sweet Potato Plants

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#### TO MAKE A HOTBED

A hotbed should face the south or southeast, be located on well drained ground, and if possible be protected on the north by a building or high fence.

6x10 feet will be large enough for an acre garden. Sashes are usually 3x6 feet. Dig a trench 2 feet deep, around this place a frame 16 inches high at the back and eight inches in front. Fill the hole with fresh horse manure that has lain for a week or ten days, tramping it down firmly and covering with 4 inches of fine, rich, black soil. Place the sashes over the frame. After standing a few days lift the sashes to allow the rank heat and steam to pass off; when the temperature has subsided to 90 degrees F. sow the seed. It is best to bank the outside of the frame up to the sash. The hotbed may be all above ground by making a pile of manure 2 feet high, and 3 feet longer, and 2 feet wider than the frame, fill in with black soil and complete as directed for the excavated bed. When plants are nearly ready for outside lift the sashes every pleasant day, gradually hardening off the seedlings.

Frame and shades should be stored away at the close of the season and will thus last for years.

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## BEANS

BUSCH BOHNEN

1 PINT TO 100 FEET OF DRILL; 1 BUSHEL PER ACRE

EARLIEST VARIETIES
READY FOR TABLE IN 40 DAYS

The soil best adapted The soil best adapted to beans is a light rich, well drained loam, which was manured for the previous crop. Beans are extremely sensitive to both cold and wet, and it is useless to plant them before the ground has become dry and warm. The largest returns will result from planting in result from planting in drills from two to three feet apart, and leaving the plants two to six inches apart in the row. Up to the time of bloosoming they should have frequent shallow cultivation. Never hoe when the pods would become discolored. For succession plant every two

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GOLDEN WAX BEANS

#### **BUSH OR SNAP**

Wax or Yellow Pod Varieties

GOLDEN WAX. A standard sort. One of the earliest beans in the market. The pods are of good length, flat, but quite thick and broad. They are waxy, golden yellow, and of fine, buttery flavor. Hardy and productive. Pkt., 5c; pt., 25c; qt., 40c; postpaid.

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GERMAN BLACK WAX. A popular variety; pod a waxy yellow, solid, tender, almost transparent, stringless, seeds when ripe jet black. Pkt. 5c; pt., 25c; qt., 40c; postpaid.

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DAVIS' KIDNEY WAX. The large beans are pure white, kidney shape, excellent for cooking, green or dry. The pods while young are stringless, tender and of excellent flavor, very long, straight, flat, and clear, waxy white. Very productive. Pkt., 5c; pt., 25c; qt., 40c; postpaid.

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The Bush Limas are quite desirable for the garden, as their cultivation does away with poles. These should be planted edgewise with the eyes down and two inches deep. Plant June 1st.

HENDERSON'S BUSH LIMA. Grows in compact bush form about 18 inches high. The beans are small in size, but of delicious flavor and great productiveness,

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BURPEE'S NEW STRINGLESS. One of the best stringless green-podded beans in cultivation. The pod is round, full, large and straight. In quality it is superior to most other Bush Beans. Pkt., 5c; pt., 25c; qt., 40c; postpaid.

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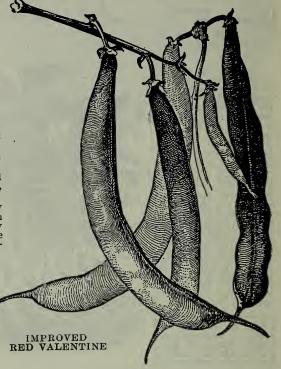
WHITE MARROW. Good shelled, either green or dry. Pkt., 5c; pt., 25c; qt., 40c; postpaid.
LITTLE WONDER NAVY. Valuable for field culture; very prolific, excellent dry bean. Pkt., 5c; pt., 20c; qt., 35c; postpaid.

GIANT STRINGLESS. This extra early variety is exceedingly productive, bearing round green pods 6 to 7 inches long, very meaty, extremely crisp and absolutely stringless throughout the entire season. Pkt., 5c; pt., 25c; qt., 40c; postpaid.

Thurston Co., July 19, 1912.

The Alfalfa I purchased from you last spring grew fine and I have a fine stand from same. Please send me the same kind of seed this time.

JOE NOBES.





#### POLE BEANS

STANGEN BOHNEN

These are more tender than the Dwarf Beans, and planting should be delayed about a week longer. Set a stout stake about 8 feet long firmly in the center of each hill, leaving four plants to a hill.

EARLY GOLDEN CLUSTER WAX. ...Begins bearing in July, continuing to produce abundantly until frost, large clusters of golden-yellow pods 6 to 8 inches long and of delicious flavor. Valuable either as a shell or snap bean, white seed. Pkt., 5c; pt., 25c; qt., 45c; postpaid.

CUT SHORT (Corn Hill). A standard sort for planting among corn. It will yield a good crop without the use of poles. Beans nearly oblong, cut off at ends, white with reddishbrown spots. Pkt., 5c; pt., 25c; qt., 45c; postpaid.

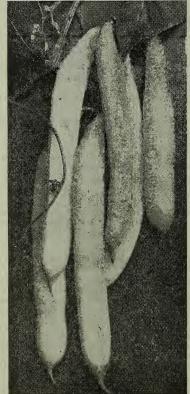
DUTCH CASE KNIFE. An early corn hill bean. Pods very long and flat; beans, flat, kidney shaped, white, of excellent quality, green or dry. Pkt., 5c; pt., 25c; qt., 45c; postpaid.

OLD HOMESTEAD (Kentucky Wonder). An excellent green podded variety; enormously productive, the long pods hanging in great clusters along the entire vine; they cook very tender and melting. Seed dark brown. Pkt., 5c; pt., 25c; at 45c; postraid qt., 45c; postpaid.

AZY WIFE. A late bean. Pods long, broad, thick and entirely stringless; rich and buttery; dry beans, white and unsurpassed as shell beans for winter use. Very prolific. LAZY WIFE. A late bean. Pkt., 5c; pt., 25c; qt., 45c; postpaid.

LARGE LIMA (Butter). Productive. Large, flat pods; beans white, of excellent flavor. Pkt., 5c; pt., 25c; qt., 45c; post-

RED KIDNEY. Usually grown for dry beans, but excellent also as green shell. Splendid for boiling or baking. These are the old fashioned Red Kidney. Pkt., 5c; pint, 20c; qt.,



EARLY GOLDEN CLUSTER WAX

Saline Co., Nebr., Mar. 12, 1912. I was so well pleased with my Turnip and Winter Radish seed that I wanted to send to you and get my gar-FRED WITFOTH. den seeds for summer.

ONE OUNCE TO 100 FT. OF DRILL, 5 to 7 LBS. TO ACRE IN DRILLS.

ROTHE REUBEN or RUNKLE-REUBEN

The early turnip varieties are ready for the table in from 50 to 60 days from sowing seed.

The best results are obtained on a deep, rich sandy loam, in freshly prepared soil, which should be pressed firmly over the seed. In dry weather soak seed 24 hours before planting.

If wanted very early, sow in hotbeds and transplant, cutting off the outer leaves. For general crop sow in drills 18 inches apart, and thin to three inches in the row. For winter use, the turnip varieties may be sown in June, and the beets may be kept by storing in a cellar and covered with sandy soil to prevent wilting. To prevent beets losing their color in cooking, do not break the skin. Prices are all postpaid. If sent by express deduct 10 cents per pound.

BEST EARLY BLOOD TURNIP. Dark red, fine flavor, good for winter.

CROSBY'S EARLY. An improved strain of the Egyptian; skin and flesh are dark red, roots smooth, round, fine quality, extra early.

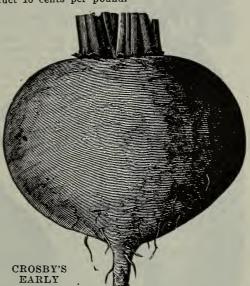
ECLIPSE. An extra early variety with round, smooth, blood-red roots. Matures very early and is popular both for market and home garden.

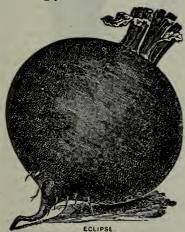
**DEWING'S EARLY RED TURNIP.** Of good form and flavor. Flesh and top deep blood-red; excellent for early or winter use.

DETROIT DARK RED TURNIP. A grand beet for bunching for market, and for the home garden. Tops small; roots globular, skin smooth; dark blood-red; flesh bright, crisp, tender, sweet and remaining so for a long time.

COLUMBIA. Extra early, also one of the finest main-crop beets for market or home garden. The roots are turnip shape, 3 or 4 inches in diameter, through, smooth and entirely free from small rootlets. Flesh deep blood-red, tender and of rich flavor.

CRIMSON GLOBE. Early, of medium size, uniformly round; color deep crimson throughout, exceedingly tender and sweet and a good keeper.





EDMUND'S IMPROVED BLOOD TURNIP. Round and smooth, matures early. Skin and flesh are of a deep blood-red; sweet and tender. An excellent keeper.

ARLINGTON BLOOD TURNIP. A dark-leaved variety, following Eclipse in maturing; perfectly round, blood-red, excellent quality, and good for winter.

HALF LONG BLOOD. An entirely distinct variety, and the best for winter use. The roots are pear-shaped, smooth, flesh a rich, dark red, crisp, tender and very sweet, never becoming woody, and retaining its excellent quality longer than other sorts.

LONG DARK BLOOD. Tops large, with good sized, long roots, tapering and growing even with the surface; dark red; flesh sweet and tender, remaining so until spring. A popular win-

SWISS CHARD. Grown for its leaves only; mid-rib is cooked and served like asparagus, the leaves used for greens.

> Price All Above Beets Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 35c; lb., \$1.10; postpaid.

## **Brussells Sprouts**

good success with them.

SPROSSEN KOHL

Matures 140 to 150 days from seed

Culture-Same as winter cabbage. Break down the leaves in the fall to force the growth of the sprouts.

The plants grow two to three feet high, and produce miniature heads from the sides of the stalk. These heads, after they have been touched by frost, become very tender; boiled in the same way as cauliflower. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 45c; postpaid.



Erie County N. Y., Jan. 16, 1912. We have used your garden seeds several times and always had W. R. JONES.

#### MANGEL WURZEL AND SUGAR BEET

#### PRICE

Ounce, 10c; 1/4 pound, 15c; pound, 50c; postpaid. By freight, 5 pounds, \$1.75; 10 pounds, \$3.25.

One ounce will sow 100 ft. drill, 6 pounds per acre.

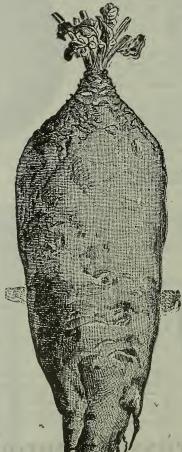
140 to 150 days required from sowing to maturity.

For Stock Feeding

When the fact is considered that 50 tons of Mangel Wurzel may be grown on a single acre, at a small outlay, the wonder is that every farmer does not profit by it. Mangels grow to a larger size and will produce a greater bulk of roots per acre than sugar beets, but the latter are richer in quality and of superior feeding value.

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As all mangels require a deep soil in order to grow well, plow and subsoil at least a foot to eighteen inches and apply plenty of rich stable manure. Sow in April to June, in rows eighteen inches to two feet apart, and thin to eight inches in the rows. Young plants may be transplanted to fill up vacancies. As soon as frost occurs dig the crop.



MAMMOTH LONG RED MANGEL WURZE

LANE'S IMPERIAL SUGAR
MAMMOTH LONG RED (Dig

MAMMOTH LONG RED (Dignity). This is truly a mammoth, a single root often weighing 30 pounds. Enormously productive, smooth and regular in shape, with a small top. They grow half above ground, and are easily harvested.

GOLDEN TANKARD. A superior strain of golden fleshed mangel; roots half long and very large. It is particularly rich in milk-producing qualities. It is very easily pulled; exceedingly hardy.

GIANT HALF SUGAR MANGEL. The roots of this new mangel are more valuable, pound for pound, than those of the best strains of sugar beet, supplying food of very much higher nutritive value and not only are they of better quality but they yield more than twice as much. The roots grow partly out of the ground, which renders the harvesting of the crop very easy. Every progressive farmer should try this new food.

For prices see top of page.

KLEIN'S WANZLEBEN SUGAR
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BEET. This is considered the
most desirable variety for
sugar. It is also desirable for
feeding to stock. The roots,
while rather shorter than some
varieties, are thicker in diameter, and yield an immense
crop on rich land. The largest
diameter is at, or just below,
the surface of the soil, then
tapering rather quickly.

LANE'S IMPERIAL SUGAR.
This beet grows to a large size,
will yield almost as much in
bulk as the best mangels, and
contains a large percentage of

WURZEL contains a large percentage of sugar. The roots are smooth, broad at the shoulder and gradually taper to the base. They grow with a considerable portion above the soil, and are easily harvested. Gray top, whitishgreen skin, with crisp, snow-white flesh.

RIVENHALL GIANT YELLOW GLOBE. This is the cleanest growing, heaviest cropping and longest keeping globe variety in cultivation. Notwithstanding its great size it produces only a small top with a single tap root.

For Corn Saver, the new hog beet, see page 12.

## FOUR LINCOLN RAMBLER ROSES FREE

## Crimson, Yellow-White, Yellow or Deep Crimson

Usually bloom first season. Bushes covered with Roses and bloom all Summer

Four Hardy Climbers—All bear profuse quantities of clustered roses like cut.

These Four Splendid Climbers Free with each \$2.00 order for flower or garden seed.

One Rose Bush of this same kind free with each 50c order for flower or garden seeds. Take your

choice.

Make up your own flower or garden seed orders now. If you only need 50c worth of seeds then—get three of your friends to each select a 50c order from our catalogue—send these three orders with your own order, and we will present to you absolutely free these four fine hardy climbing rose bushes.

These roses bloom constantly year after year, and are a continual pleasure.

Visit three of your friends or neighbors—get them to send their flower and garden seed order with yours—and have these magnificent ornaments for your home, you to pay not one cent for them.

If you want Roses that will give you constant pleasure from the day they are planted, we would urge that you plant these famous varieties. They bloom the first and every year from early May until severe freezing weather. We have seen them unfold perfect flowers even after a severe snow storm. There are other Roses as good, but certainly none better. Unequaled for porch ornamentation. Be sure to try them.

#### HERE IS A DESCRIPTION OF EACH ROSE

The Lincoln Yellow Rambler—The Yellow Rambler has been found to successfully withstand without protection, a continued temperature of continued temperature of from zero to two degrees below. The flowers are borne in clusters, after the same manner as the Crimson Rambler, and are a bright lemon-yel-low, changing to creamy white

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The Lincoln Crimson Rambler—This wonderful climbing Rose, introduced some twelve years ago, has made a record for itself unequalled by any other Rose. Every season it gains in popularity. It is a vigorous grower, making shoots 10 to 20 feet in height in a single season, and when in bloom commands admiration by the gorgeous display of its brilliant crimson clusters of blossoms, each cluster

brilliant crimson clusters of blossoms, each cluster a bouquet in itself. Upwards of 15,000 blossoms have been produced by a single plant. This marvelous prodigality is not unusual with it, as it succeeds everywhere. The blooms remain on the plant for a great length of time without losing their brightness; the foliage is also retained, to a great extent, during the winter, making the plant almost evergreen. It is perfectly hardy in all parts of the country.

The Lincoln Deep Crimson Rambler—Pure deep crimson. A brighter, more intense color than the Crimson Rambler. which has heretofore been the standard for brilliant color; does not fade. bleach or wash out, but holds its color to the last. Blooms two weeks earlier than the Crimson Rambler. Flowers 2½ inches across and perfectly double, borne in large clusters, completely covering the bush.

The Lincoln Yellow-White Rambler—A new yellowish rambler rose from Germany. Unlike the other roses of this class it is of perpetual blooming habit. While its heaviest show of bloom is in the early summer, yet it also produces a considerable quantity of flowers all through the late summer and fall. Of very vigorous habit of growth and absolutely hardy. Clean. glossy foliage, free from mildew or insect pests. Flowers are class. Color is a soft, creamy white, changing to pure white, but the very numerous and rather prominent yellow anthers give quite a pronounced yellowish cast to the flowers. White Rambler-A new

Select your order at once. The seeds will keep just as well at your house as in our store rooms, and rose bushes will be sent you about the 10th of April, or as soon as warm enough here.

We carefully select excellent plants for each customer.

GRISWOLD SEED COMPANY, LINCOLN, NEBRASKA



Ready for the table in from 100 to 160 days from seed, according to varieties.

## **CABBAGES**

KOPF KOHL ODER KRAUT

1 ounce to 5,000 plants, 2 ounces to transplant for an acre.

For early summer use sow in hotbed in February or March. Before transplanting to the open ground they should be hardened off by exposing them gradually to the night air. For winter use sow in open ground in May or June, taking care in either case not to let the plants stand too closely, as this makes them "spindling." When five or six inches high, transplant in rows two feet apart one way, and 12 to 18 inches the other, according to variety, burying to the first leaf, whatever the stem length. Hoe frequently, drawing the earth up about the plants until they begin to head.

EXTRA EARLY VARIETIES

EARLY SPRING. The earliest, flat-headed variety. A wonderful compact plant with few outer leaves. Ready for use as soon as Early Jersey Wakefield. The head is oval and very large for the size of the plant, nearly equaling many of the later kinds. Pkt., 5c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 50c; lb., \$1.60; postpaid.

EXTRA EARLY EXPRESS. (Lightning.) Pointed, hard heads of good size; a week earlier than Jersey Wakefield. Pkt., 5c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 50c; lb., \$1.60; postpaid.

EARLIEST ETAMPES. (Earliest of All.) Extremely early, with small, quite solid, pointed heads; excellent quality. Pkt., Extremely early, 5c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 50c; lb., \$1.50; postpaid.

ARLY YORK. Very early; small heart-shaped heads. Pkt., 5c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 50c; lb., \$1.35; postpaid. EARLY YORK.

EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD. Most gardeners depend upon

it for the bulk of their extra early crop. Heads conical, very compact, solid and of excellent quality. Pkt., 5c; oz. 20c; ¼ lb., 60c; lb., \$1.85; postpaid.

EARLY WINNIGSTADT. One of the best, being very hardy and sure to head; suffers less from the cabbage worm than any other sort; heads regular, conical, very hard and keep well. Pkt., 5c; oz., 20c; ¼ 1b., 50c; 1b., \$1.60; postpaid.

#### SECOND EARLY OR SUMMER VARIETIES

EARLY DWARF FLAT DUTCH. An early cabbage of good size. Heads are flat and very solid. Pkt., 5c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 50c; lb., \$1.50; postpaid.

EARLY DRUMHEAD. A fine strain; of dark bluish-green color, plant very hardy; compact, flat head. Pkt., 5c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 50c; lb., \$1.50; postpaid.

EARLY SUMMER. A popular sort; producing large solid heads of fine quality; keeps longer

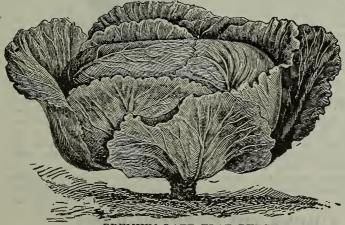
without bursting than most any sort. Pkt., 5c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 50c; lb., \$1.60; postpaid.

EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD

ALL HEAD EARLY. The heads are deep through, extra solid, uniform in color, form and size. Pkt., 5c oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 50c; lb., \$1.60; postpaid.

(Vandergaw.) Growing SEASON. quickly the large, solid heads are very tender and of the finest quality. Pkt., 5c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 50c; lb., \$1.60; postpaid.

#### LATE OR WINTER VARIETIES



PREMIUM LATE FLAT DUTCH

LARGE LATE DRUMHEAD. A favorite winter variety; extra large, solid heads; slightly later than the Flat Dutch. Pkt., 5c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 50c lb., \$1.50; postpaid.

AUTUMN KING. Are extremely large and solid. Flat headed late variety. The plant is of extra strong growth, with dark bluish-green leaves. Splendid winter variety. Pkt., 5c oz., 25c; ¼ 1b. 70c; 1b., \$2.00; postpaid.

This cabbage never SUREHEAD. fails to make a fine, solid, large head, with few outer leaves. It is a vigorous grower, maturing late. First-class main crop variety. Pkt., 5c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 50c; lb., \$1.50; postpaid.

THE LUPTON. This variety is one of the best for main crop, combining the best qualities of the second-early and the late sorts. It is also one of the best keepers. Pkt., 5c oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 70c; lb., \$2.00; postpaid.

PREMIUM LATE FLAT DUTCH (Selected strain). The great cabbage for fall and winter. The large, oval, solid heads are flat-tened and of splendid quality. Will keep in the best condition for a long time. Pkt., 5c; oz., 20c:

1/4 lb., 50c; lb., \$1.50; postpaid.

HOLLANDER (Danish Ball Head). Hardest heading variety known. Remarkable for great weight and long-keeping qualities. The heads are of medium size, exceedingly tender, crisp, solid, with no waste heart. Pkt., 5c; oz., 25c; 1/4 lb., 80c; lb., \$2.60; postpaid.

RED DUTCH. A deep red or purple, solid head, fine for salad or pickling. Pkt., 5c oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 50c; lb., \$1.50; postpaid.

Ready for table in from 95 to 120 days from seed, according to variety.

## **CARROTS**

CARROTTEN MOHREN

1 oz. to row 100 feet long. 2½ lbs. per acre.

Any good land, if thoroughly and deeply worked, will produce satisfactory crops. Sow as early as the ground can be worked, sow the smaller kinds in rows 16 to 18 inches apart. For field culture sow in drills 18 to 24 inches apart. Cover one-half to one inch deep and see that the soil is pressed firmly above the seed. Do not let the weeds get a start. Thin to three to six inches apart in the rows as soon as the plants are large enough. For winter use gather and store like turnips.



Price of all Carrots: Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 40c; lb., \$1.00.

SCARLET HORN. Very small and early. A rich, deep orange in color, fine grained, of sweet flavor, succeeding well in shallow soil. Desirable for bunching.

CHANTENAY. A choice variety, longer than the Scarlet Horn, and a little broader at the top. The flesh is a beautiful rich orange color, and of the finest quality.

DANVER'S HALF LONG POINTED. It is a rich, dark orange color; very smooth and easier to dig than most carrots.

OX HEART or GUERANDE. (See cut.) A thick carrot, five inches long and very blunt at the lower extremity. It grows very rapidly, and the roots attain a weight of more than a pound. It is tender, of good flavor and of a deep red color, and is a variety we can recommend to all market gardeners.

HALF LONG SCARLET NANTES. The leaves are fine, the roots are almost cylindrical, very smooth, of good shape and size, and about six inches long; the flesh is red and very sweet. They are

easily pulled and keep well. A most excellent sort.

HALF LONG STUMP ROOT.. The tops are of medium size, roots deep orange, large, tapering to a dull point. Smooth, crisp and tender.

IMPROVED LONG ORANGE. Large, smooth, and of rich orange color. A good keeper, of fine quality for table use, and highly nutritious for stock.

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Amateur Fruit Growing, by Samuel B. Green. A practical guide to the growing of fruit for home use and the market, written with special reference to a cold climate. Illustrated. 134 pp., price, 12 mo. cloth, 50c; paper 25c.

Vegetable Gardening, by Samuel B. Green, 10th edition. A manual on the growing of vegetables for home use and market. Profusely illustrated. 252 pages, price, 12 mo. cloth, \$1.00; paper, 50c.

Weeds and How to Eradicate them, by Thomas Shaw. Giving the names of the most troublesome weed pests east and west and successful methods of destroying them. Price, 16 mo. cloth, 210 pp., 50c; paper, 25c.



HALF LONG STUMP ROOT

#### SOW IN APRIL OR MAY

#### **CARROTS FOR STOCK**

4 to 6 lbs. to the Acre

These are undoubtedly the most valuable of all the roots usually grown for stock. They are more nutritious than turnips and nearly all animals like them and are benefited by them.

LARGE YELLOW or VICTORIA. Largest, heaviest cropping and most nutritious variety in cultivation; roots fine, of light orange color, and possessing high feeding properties; good keeper. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 20c; lb., 60c; postpaid. 5 lb., \$2.25, by express.

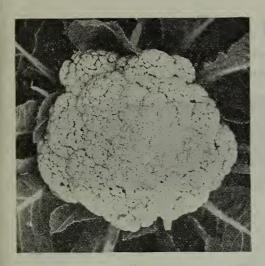
LARGE WHITE BELGIAN. Grows one-third out of the ground. Roots pure white, green above ground with small top. Flesh rather coarse. The roots grow to a large size. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 20c; lb., 60; postpaid.

#### CRESS OR PEPPERGRASS

Ready in from 21 to 40 days. Cress should be sown in a sheltered spot quite thick in shallow drills, in a short time it will be fit for cutting. Sow frequently as it matures very rapidly.

EXTRA CURLED. This small salad is much used with lettuce. The warm, pungent taste makes a most agreeable addition. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; postpaid.

WATER CRESS. Hardy, perennial, growing readily on the banks of CRESS OR PEPPERGRASS streams or ponds. Pkt., 5c; ½ oz., 20c; oz., 30c; postpaid.



## Cauliflower

1 OZ. TO 5,000 PLANTS

BLUMEN KOHL

(For Cauliflower plants see page 14.)

These need a deep, rich, moist soil, and require the same treatment as cabbages. For early summer varieties, seed should be sown in hotbed early in March, transplant when weather is warm. For late or autumn varieties, sow in March or April, transplant in June; hoe often.

EXTRA EARLY ERFURT. Head of good size, white and compact. Early and desirable. Pkt., 5c; ½ oz., 90c; oz., \$1.60; postpaid.

EARLY SNOWBALL. (Extra Selected.) This very superior strain is noted for producing early plants of dwarf habit, short, compact growth, and uniform shape. It is extremely hardly and one of the surest to make a solid head. For forcing or planting in open ground no other variety can surpass it. \_ood for early, second early, and late planting. Pkt., 5c; ½ oz., \$1.35; oz., \$2.50; postpaid.

1 ounce to 3,000 plants or 200 feet of drill.

## Celery

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Grow your own Celery. (For Celery Plants see page 14.)
Sow the seed (which is slow to germinate) in shallow boxes, or hotbed, cover the seed not too deep. Keep the bed moist, almost wet, until the seeds germinate. When about two inches deep, thin out and transplant so that they may stand three inches apart, when the plants are four inches high, cut off the tops, which will cause them to grow stocky. The essentials to success in celery growing are rich soil and pleuty of water. The best results are usually obtained from setting about the middle of June or the first of July. In setting, prepare broad trenches about six inches deep and four to six feet apart, in which the plants should be set six inches apart, cutting off the outer leaves and pressing the soil firmly about the roots. Cultivate freely. Earth up a little during the summer, keeping the leaf stalks close together, so that soil cannot get between them. Finish earthing up in autumn, and never hoe or earth up when plants are wet, as this would be likely to cause them to rust or rot.

To keep celery for winter, dig trenches a foot wide and as deep as the tops of the plants. Stand celery in these erect, with what dirt adheres to the roots, packing closely, but not crowding. It should be covered with straw or leaves a little at a time, as the cold becomes

greater. Celery will bear a good deal of frost.

GIANT PASCAL. One of the best for fall and winter use. The stalks are very large, solid, crisp and of rich, nutty flavor. It blanches very easily and quickly. The heart is golden yellow, very attractive. Pkt., 5c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 50c; postpaid.

CELERIAC GIANT PRAGUE. The roots of this celery are turnip-shaped, large and smooth; are almost round and with a very few side roots. Sweet and tender and may be cooked like turnips or eaten like radishes; used largely for seasoning meats and soups. Pkt., 5c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 50c; postpaid.

GOLDEN SELF-BLANCHING. This is without doubt the best celery for general use, the ribs are perfectly solid, crisp, brittle and of delicious flavor, while it has the decided merit of being self-blanching to a very remarkable degree. The heart is large, solid and a beautiful rich, golden yellow. It is decidedly the best keeper, of all the self-blanching varieties. Pkt. 5c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 90c; postpaid.

GIANT GOLDEN HEART. This variety attains a large size, but still remains crisp and tender. It is a fine keeper and a favorite for market. Pkt., 5c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 45c; postpaid.

SNOW WHITE. A pure white variety. It is vigorous in growth, rich in flavor and crisp; grows solid on all kinds of soil, and is an ex-

Ready for table in 160 to 175 days from seed.



WHITE PLUME

cellent keeper. Pkt., 5c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 60c; postpaid.

WHITE PLUME. (See cut.) A variety specially adapted to cultivation by amateurs, as its inner stalks and leaves are naturally white. By simply tying up the stalks and drawing up the soil with the hoe the work of blanching is complete. It is tender, crisp and of good flavor. The earliest celery in cultivation, but will not keep longer than Christmas. Pkt., 5c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 50c; postpaid.

## Chives

CHIVES (Schnittlouch.) A perfectly hardy plant something like an onion. Tops are cut off from time to time and used to flavor soup. Seed: Pkt., 10c. Clumps, each, 10c; per doz.. \$1.00. Postpaid.

## CORN--Sweet or Sugar

ZUCKER MAIS

For prices in larger lots see our Market Gardeners' Price List. Sent Free

1 quart to 200 hills; 8 to 10 quarts to the acre. In an average season from planting to first fair picking is from 55 to 85 days, according to variety.

Sweet corn being liable to rot in



Sweet corn being liable to rot in cold, wet ground, should not be planted before May, or until the ground has become warm; practically nothing is gained in time, and much is lost in quality by planting too soon. To have the finest sweet corn it must be picked in just the right condition, that is when the skin of the grain breaks at the slightest punctures, and planting could be made every two weeks to have a supply at this stage. Plant in rich ground in hills three feet apart each way, covering about half an inch, and thin out to three plants to a hill. The extra early varieties can be planted closer. Give frequent and thorough but shallow cultivation until the tassets appear.

If sent by express at buyer's express 50 per pint or 10c per quart may be deducted

If sent by express at buyer's expense, 5c per pint or 10c per quart may be deducted.

PEEP O' DAY. The two points of this new corn are its extraordinary earliness and sweetness. It is also very productive, the stalks bearing from two to five ears each, are very dwarf, which admits of their being planted close together. Pkt., 5c; pt., 15c; qt., 30c; 2 qts., 55c; postpaid.

EARLY EVERGREEN. Very similar to Stowell's Evergreen; somewhat smaller; ripens about ten days earlier. Pkt., 5c; pt., 15c; qt., 30c; 2 qts., 55c; postpaid.

HOWLING MOB. Extra sweet, about five days later than Early Cory. Ears have 12 to 14 rows and are 5 to 9 inches long. Usually two to a stalk. The heavy husk extends well out from the top, protecting it from green worms. Pkt., 5c; pt., 25c; qt., 45c; postpaid.

EXTRA EARLY PREMO. A real Sweet Corn as early as Extra Early Adams. Large, sweet and tender. Plant early, as it will stand some frost. Pkt., 5c; pt., 20c; qt., 35c; postpaid.

MAMMOTH WHITE CORY. Nearly as early but larger than Early Cory. The ears are twelverowed; grains are broad, very white and of excellent quality for an early sort. Pkt., 5c; pt., 15c; qt., 30c; 2 qts., 50c; postpaid.

CROSBY'S EARLY. Remarkably early and of the best flavor. Ears of medium size, twelverowed, with grains very tender and sweet. Pkt., 5c; pt., 15c; qt., 30c; 2 qts., 50c; postpaid.

EARLY CHAMPION. Only a few days later than the extra earlies, bearing large, handsome twelve-rowed ears. Deep, white, plump grains of milky tenderness and very sweet. Very productive. Pkt., 5c; pt., 15c; qt., 30c; 2 qts., 50c; postpaid.

GOLDEN BANTAM. Extremely hardy, can be planted earlier than any other true sweet coru, thus producing the earliest supply. Ears 6 inches long, with 8 rows of grains, which are a golden yellow when ready for use. Can be planted thickly, and every stalk should have from 2 to 3 perfect ears. Pkt., 5c; pt., 15c; qt., 30c; 2 qts., 55c; postpaid.

STOWELL'S EVERGREEN. The standard main crop variety. It is hardy, large-growing and productive, very tender and sugary, remaining a long time in condition suitable for boiling. Pkt., 5c; pt., 15c; qt., 30c; 2 qts., 50c; postpaid.

EARLY MINNESOTA. One of the best early sort for the market or private garden. Stalks four to five feet high and bearing one to two long, eight-rowed ears; kernels very broad, sweet and tender, not shrinking much in drying. Pkt., 5c; pt., 15c; qt., 30c; 2 qt., 50c; postpaid.

BLACK MEXICAN. Medium early, about six feet in height, with one or two fine ears eight inches in length, with eight rows of large grains, which when in condition for the table cook remarkably white, but the ripe grain is black or bluish-black. It is surpassed by none in ten-derness. Pkt., 5c; pt., 15c; qt., 30c; 2 qt., 55c; postpaid.

COUNTRY GENTLEMAN. (Shoe Peg.) This variety has a small cob densely covered with irregular rows of very long, slender grains of fine quality. Pkt., 5c; pt., 15c; qt., 30c; 2 qts., 55c; postpaid.

MAMMOTH SUGAR. Produces the largest ears of any sort; excellent quality, sweet, tender and delicious; late variety. Pkt., 5c; pt., 15c; qt., 30c; 2 qts., 50c; postpaid.

#### **POPCORN**

WHITE RICE. A prolific variety. Ears short; kernels long, pointed and white. Probably no variety of pop corn is superior to this for parching. Pkt., 5c; lb., 20c; postpaid.

QUEEN'S GOLDEN. The largest of all Pop Corns. The stalk grows five to six feet high, and bears two or three large ears each. It is yellow, but pops creamy white, and of excellent quality. Pkt., 5c; lb., 20c; postpaid.

Ask for prices on Pop Corn in large lots.

#### CORN SALAD

(Feldsalat.) A small, hardy plant, used during the winter and spring months as a substitute for lettuce; also cooked like spinach. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; postpaid.

Morgan County Colo., Febr. 6, 1912.

I am so pleased with the seeds you sent me that I advocated them to my neighbors and they asked me to send in their names and would like catalogs. MRS. JOE BEUTTLER.

## **CUCUMBERS**

CHERKEN

1 oz. to 50 hills; 2 to 3 lbs. to the acre. Earliest varieties ready for table use in 50 to 55 days from seed. Main crop in 65 to 75 days.

As soon as the weather becomes settled and warm, plant in hills 4 to 6 feet apart each way, with 8 or 10 seeds in a hill; cover half an inch deep, smoothing the hill off with the hoe. Keep the soil well stirred, and when the plants are out of danger of insects, leave 3 or 4 plants to a hill. For pickles, plant from 1st of June to 1st of August. The fruit should be gathered when large enough, whether required for use or not, as, if left to ripen on the vines, it destroys their productiveness. A few hills for early use may be had by sowing on pieces of sod in a hotbed, and when warm enough transplant to open ground.

A GOOD SCHEME. Put in a second row of seed a few inches from your first cucumbers when they begin to run. The bugs prefer young plants. Your earliest plants are thus protected and those of later planting that escape the bugs will prolong the pickle season.

DAVIS PERFECT. This Cucumber has the merit of being not only a first-class variety for forcing under glass, but is equally as good for outdoor culture. The color is a dark, glossy green; in shape it is smooth and symmetrical with an average length of ten to twelve inches. It is very tender and of exceptionally good flavor. For shipping it is unsurpassed, Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ½ lb., 30c; lb., \$1.00; postpaid.



DAVIS NEW PERFECT CUCUMBER (FIELD RUN)

EARLY CLUSTER. A short, pale green variety; fruit borne in clusters near the root, containing few seeds. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 30c; lb., 90c; postpaid.

EARLY FRAME OR SHORT GREEN. Excellent for table use and for pickling. Fruit straight, smaller at each end; bright green, flesh tender and crisp. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 30c; lb., 90c; postpaid.

IMPROVED EARLY WHITE SPINE. (See cut.) For forcing it is preferred to all others. Flesh tender and crisp. Fruit uniform in size, straight and light green, with a few white spines. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4. lb., 30c; lb., 90c; postpaid.

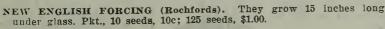
BOSTON PICKLING or GREEN PROLIFIC. One of the best pickling varieties; dark green, tender, crisp, and productive. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 4 lb., 30c; lb., 90c; postpaid.

IMPROVED JERSEY PICKLING. A standard small variety, dark green, tender, crisp, productive, of fine flavor and uniform size. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 30c; lb., 90c; postpaid.

IMPROVED LONG GREEN. A well known standard, main crop variety, about nine inches long, of excellent quality, and makes the best of pickles. Vines vigorous and very productive. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 30c; lb., 90c; postpaid.

JAPANESE CLIMBING. The vines can be trained to climb, thus requiring less ground space. The cucumbers are thick, tender, and of delicate flavor, flesh white; skin dark green, turning to brown and netted when ripe. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 30c; lb., \$1.00; postpaid.

EVERBEARING. Small, very early and productive; solid, few seeds and of fine quality. It continues to bear until frost. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 30c; lb., 90c; postpaid.



## EGG PLANT

EIERFLANZE

1 oz. to 1,000 plants. Ready for table in 145 to 160 days.

A tender plant, start early in hotbed or in the house. Plant out early in June, care being necessary to prevent plants being chilled by the change.

IMPROVED NEW YORK PURPLE, SPINELESS. The standard for home and market. Fruit very large, productive and of the highest quality. Pkt., 5c; ½ oz., 25c; oz., 40c; ½ lb., \$1.25; postpaid.



WHITE SPINE



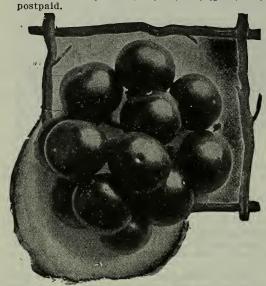
#### **ENDIVE** ENDIVIEN

Ready for table in 43 to 50 days from seed. 1 oz. to 100 feet of drill. One of the best autumn and winter salads. Sow from June until August, 1/2 inch deep in drills 14 inches apart and thin out to 1 foot apart in rows. When nearly full grown bleach by tying the tips of the leaves together. GREEN CURLED. Large and well adapted to

this soil and climate. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 40c; postpaid.

MOSS CURLED. Leaves very finely curled. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c; postpaid.

WHITE CURLED. Very tender when cut young; blanches readily. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c;



#### GARDEN HUCKLEBERRY

A New, Heavy Yielding Garden Berry

We could not supply the demand for these last

year. Send your order early.

This new fruit can be grown from the seed the first year and produces about as large as a grape; the color is jet black, and when cooked can scarcely be discerned from the real huckleberry. Plant and cultivate same as tomatoes. Do not eat green. Berries make splendid pies, jelly and sauce. Parboil a few minutes in soda water, using about 1 teaspoon soda to 1 lb. of fruit. After pouring off this water add sugar and cook slowly for several hours; a little vinegar or lemon juice improves the flavor. Very desirable while waiting several years for hardy fruits to come into bearing, or in dry climates where the ordinary small fruits do not succeed. Pkt., 5c; oz., 20c.

#### GARLIC

The sets should be planted in spring. Cultivate same as onions. Sets, per oz., 5c; ¼ lb., 15c; lb., 40c; postpaid.

#### KALE or BORECOLE

BLAETTER KOHL

Ready for table in 100 to 130 days.

1 oz. to 300 feet of drill, and makes 5,000 plants. Sow about April 15 in well prepared soil, covering the seeds thinly. Cultivate like cabbage. Much improved by freezing.

TALL GREEN CURLED. About two feet high with numerous dark green curled leaves. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; postpaid. DWARF GERMAN. (German Greens.) The leaves are curly, bright green, very tender, and delicate flavor. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 25c; postpaid.

#### KOHLRABI

KOHLRABI

1 oz. to 300 ft. drill and makes 3,000 plants. A vegetable intermediate between the cabbage and turnip. The edible bulb is served like turnip. Sow from May to July in rows 18 inches apart, and thin. Cultivate the same as cabbage.

EARLIEST SHORT LEAVED WHITE VI-ENNA FROCING. This variety is especially adap-This ted for early work and forcing; delicate flavor, delicate flavor, flesh white and very tender. Pkt., 5c; oz., 25c; 1/4 lb., 75c; postpaid.



EARLY WHITE VIENNA. A favorite sort; flesh white and tender. Pkt., 5c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 50c; postpaid.

EARLY PURPLE. Purple outside with white flesh. Pkt., 5c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 50c; lb.. \$1.75;

#### HERBS

Herbs delight in a rich, mellow soil. Those marked with a \* are perennial. Sow early in spring in shallow drills, one foot apart; when up a few inches thin out; cut just before they come into full blossom, tie in bunches and hang up or spread thinly.

DILL. Leaves and seed are used in soups, sauces and pickles. It reseeds itself each year. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 20c; postpaid.

\*LAVENDER. (Lavendel.) Aromatic, medicinal herb. Pkt., 5c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 60c; postpaid. \*MARJORAM, SWEET. (Majoran.) Leaves and shoots for seasoning. Pkt., 5c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 60c; postpaid.

(Salbei.) Most useful herb for season-

ing. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c; postpaid.

SUMMER SAVORY. (Bohnenkraut.) Used for flavoring soups. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c; postpaid.

\*THYME. (Thymian.) For medicinal use. Pkt., 5e; oz., 50e; 1/4 lb., \$1.50; postpaid.

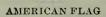
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LAUCH

1 oz. to 100 feet of drill, and makes 1,500 plants. Succeeds best in light, rich soil. Sow early in drills 1 inch deep and 1 foot apart. When 6 inches

high, transplant in rows 10 inches apart each way, as deep as possible, that the neck may be bleached. AMERICAN FLAG. An old

favorite: Large with broad leaves growing only on two sides; enormous size; best for forcing; excellent keep-er. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c; postpaid.



#### MINT

The old-fashioned mint has been growing in favor of late years. Used in flavoring meats. etc., also for mint sauce. Easily grown. We offer only the roots. Per clump, 15c; 2 for 25c;

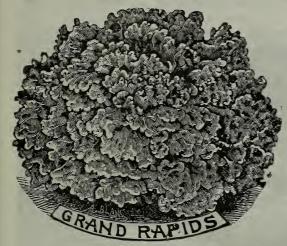
Fit for use in 3 or 4 weeks, marketable size, 60 to 75 days from seed.

### LETTUCE

LATTICH SALAT

1 OUNCE TO 400 FEET OF DRILL

Lettuce thrives best in a light, very rich, moist soil, but does well in common garden soil enriched with rotten manure. For first crop sow in gentle heat in February, and transplant to 10 inches apart. It may be sown thickly and cut when plants are very young. For a summer supply sow thinly in shallow drills in a cool, partially shaded place, in rich soil, and thin out to a foot apart.



CURLED OR LOOSE-LEAVED VARIETIES

GRAND RAPIDS. As a lettuce for greenhouse forcing, this variety undoubtedly stands at the head of the list, being of quick growth, little liable to rot and standing for some days after being fit to cut. The plant is upright and forms a loose cluster of large, light leaves. It is useful also for outdoor planting. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 30c; lb., 90c; postpaid.

SIMPSON'S EARLY CURLED. Leaves broad, firilled and blistered. Light green. sweet, tender, and well flavored. An early, erect growing sort. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 30c; lb., 80c; postpaid.

BLACK SEEDED SIMPSON. The leaves are large and form a compact mass. They are thin, tender and of a very light green color. Well adapted for growing under glass or for very early spring use. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4lb.. 30c; lb., S5c; postpaid.

EARLY PRIZE HEAD. Forms a mammoth plant. in which even the outer leaves are crisp and tender; color bright green tinged with brownish red. It is of superb flavor and very hardy. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 30c; lb., S5c; postpaid. EARLY CURLED SILESIA. An early, erect growing and loose heading lettuce, especially adapted for outdoor planting, and can be used when very young. Exceedingly sweet and well flavored. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 30c; lb., 80c; postpaid.

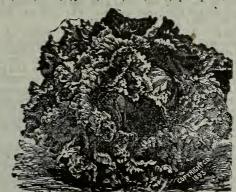
#### CABBAGE OR HEADING VARIETIES

The best results with head or cabbage sorts is only obtained when the plants are transplanted several times.

HANSON. Forms a large, flat head, resembling that of cabbage and so slow to form a seed stalk that it often fails to seed at all. Very tender and sweet. A standard summer heading lettuce. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/41b., 30c; lb., 85c; postpaid.

DENVER MARKET. An early variety of Head Lettuce, either for forcing or open ground. It forms large heads, of good light green color. The leaves are blistered (like the Savoy Cabbage), very crisp and tender. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 30c; lb., 80c; postpaid.

ICEBERG. Makes a large, handsome, crisp head, conical in shape, tightly folded and well blanched; outer leaves fringed. Very highly esteemed for its beautiful appearance and mild flavor, even during hot summer months. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 30c; lb., 90c; postpaid.



ICEBERG



## Mustard 1 oz. to 75 feet of drill

Very hardy. Seed can be sown as soon as the soil is free from frost, in shallow drills. Cut when a few inches high. It grows rapidly, and several sowings may be made.

CHINESE. The immense leaves grow rapidly, and can be cut frequently until killed by frost. Leaves are eaten boiled like spinach. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 25c; lb., 75c; postpaid.

MAMMOTH SOUTHERN CURLED. The large curled-leaf variety. popular in the South, where the seed is sown in the fall for spring use. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 25c; lb., 75c; postpaid.

WHITE. A small pungent salad; the seed is also used for flavoring pickles, etc. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 20e; lb., 55c; postpaid.

Carroll Co., Ia., Nov. 17, 1912.

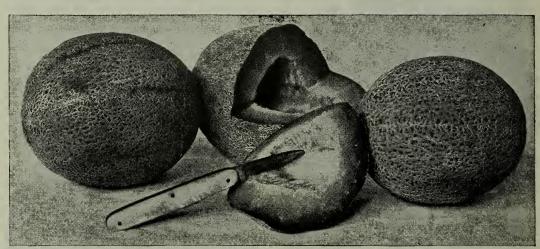
The Sweet Clover did fine. Got a good stand and it made a good growth. A. A. RIEDSEL.

Earliest varieties ready in 90 to 100 days from sow-ing. General crop requires 115 to 140 days.

## Muskmelons

ONE OUNCE HILLS; 2 TO 3 POUNDS

Melons thrive best in a light rich soil. Plant when the ground has become warm and dry, and danger from frost is past, in hills 6 feet apart each way in well enriched soil 12 to 15 seeds in each hill. After all danger of bugs is over thin out to 3 plants per hill. When about three feet long, pinch off the tips to make them branch, and the fruit mature earlier. G. Green Flesh. S. Salmon Colored Flesh. Y. Yellow Flesh.



ROCKY FORD... G. A small oval melon, slightly ribbed and covered with a coarse netting. The flesh is thick, green, very sweet and juicy, and sold clear to the rind; very early and popular. One of the best for hotel and restaurant use, as well as for the home garden. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ½ lb., 25c; lb., 60c; postpaid.

RAND. S. A most excellent new melon of a peculiar rich green color, slightly ribbed and netted. Has uniformly rich, thick, salmon-colored flesh of most excellent flavor. It is from ten to fourteen days earlier than Osage. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ½ lb., 35c; lb., \$1.00; postpaid. GRAND.

OSAGE, OR MILLER'S CREAM. S. A standard sort, medium size, oval, dark green, netted, and slightly ribbed. The flesh is thick, and firm, rich salmon, highly flavored and delicious to the rind. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 30c; lb., \$1.00; postpoid postpaid.

EMERALD GEM. Y. A small, very early melon, form globular; skin smooth, dark green. The ribs are marked, flesh very thick, with small seed cavity, and the flavor is sweet and luscious. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 30c; lb., \$1.00; postpaid.

HOODOO. S. A new early orange fiesh variety of oval shape and uniform in size. The flesh is very thick, of fine grain and sweetest flavor; a heavy yielder. Somewhat resembles Rocky Ford. Splendid shape for serving in halves. The rind being very tough makes it a good shipper. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 35c; lb., \$1.00. BURRELL'S GEM. S. Very much like the Rocky Ford, but has orange colored flesh. The flesh is fine grained and spicy. It is a good keeper. Fruits large and somewhat elongated. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 85c; postpaid.

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TIP TOP. Y. Every fruit produced, whether big or little, early or late in the season, is a good one—sweet, juicy and fine flavor, firm, but not hard fleshed, eatable to the very outside coating. As a yielder it is not surpassed. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ½ 1b., 30c; 1b., \$1.00; postpaid.

LONG ISLAND BEAUTY. G. Fruits of large size, well flattened, heavily ribbed and netted. Of very handsome appearance, and fine quality. Most highly recommended. It ripens as early and is similar to Hackensack, but superior. Pkt., 5c; oz.. 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 85c; postpaid.

All Postpaid pkt. oz. ¼lb. lb.

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## Mushroom Spawn

AMERICAN, PURE CULTURE SPAWN. Produced by the new grafting process, from selected and most prolific varieties, has never failed to run. Per Brick, enough for 8 square feet, 35c; 5 for \$1.50, by mail, postpaid. By express, at buyer's expense, per Brick, 25c; 6 Bricks, \$1.40; 12 Bricks, \$2.75.

MUSHROOMS. How to Grow Them. The most practical work on the subject ever written. Describes how they may be grown with profit by market gardeners and also how to grow them for home use. 170 pages. \$1.00.

1 ounce to 30 hills; 4 lbs. per acre.

## WATERMELON

WASSERMELON

Ready from 90 to 140 days from seed.

To get good strong vines early in the season, form large, well drained hills of earth, made very rich, about eight feet apart. In these plant the seed as soon as the ground is warm and dry, and carefully protect the young plants from insects, and hasten their growth by the use of liquid manure. ls., light seed; ds., dark seed.

ALABAMA SWEET. 1s.. A large and attractive Melon, oblong in shape, early in maturing, and very sweet. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 25c; lb., 75c.

BLACK BOULDER. ds. It is enormously productive, nearly round in shape, reaching a mammoth size, with rich dark green skin; flavor equal to any melon, and shipping qualities excellent. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ½ lb., 20c; lb., 65c;

COLE'S EARLY. ds. This is a very choice melon for the home garden and can be grown farther north than any other variety. The flesh is bright red, crisp, and very delicate in texture, sweet and refreshing in flavor. It is an abundant bearer, of medium size, but very solid, with thin rind. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 20c; lb., 55c.

CUBAN QUEEN. ds. One of the largest varieties, skin striped dark and light green; heavy cropper; flesh bright red, luscious, crisp, sugary. A favorite melon for home and market. One of the best keepers, and a first rate shipper. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 20c; lb., 55c; postpaid.

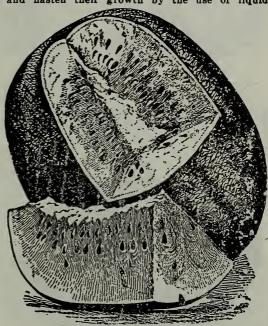
5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 20c; lb., 55c; postpaid.

DUKE JONES. (Jumbo.) ls. Very large, nearly round, dark green; flesh solid, deep red, and of fine quality. Very productive. A good shipper. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 20c; lb., 60c; postpaid.

HALBERT'S HONEY. ls. A splendid sort for home use or local market. Vine vigorous and productive; fruit large and oblong; color dark glossy green; flesh very bright, rich red, and exceedingly sweet, extending close to the rind, too crisp and brittle to be a good shipper. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 75c; postpaid.

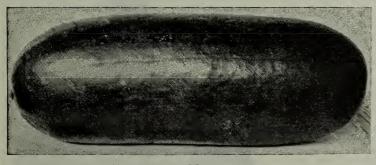
5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 75c; postpaid.

ICE CREAM. (Peerless.) ls. It is medium in size, almost, round; the skin is a pale green, slightly mottled; flesh bright scarlet, solid to the center, sweet, melting and delicious. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 20c; lb., 55c; postpaid.



SWEET HEART

SWEET HEART. ds. Vine vigorous and productive, ripening its fruit early; fruit large, oval, very heavy, uniformly mottled, light and light green; rind thin but firm; flesh bright red, firm and solid, but very melting and sweet. The melons retain their good quality for a long time. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 20c; lb., 55c; postpaid.



KLECKLEY SWEETS

McIVER'S WONDERFUL SUGAR. Is. The melons attain a great weight, are of a very handsome appearance, never crack or lose their fine flavor. It is a very productive and hardy variety and one that will take the lead wherever known; oblong; striped skin. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 20c; lb., 65c; postpaid.

KLECKLEY SWEETS. (Monte Cristo.) ls. Large oblong melon, skin dark green. The rind is only about one-half

inch in thickness. The scarlet flesh is sweet and sugary and is of such texture that it leaves no strings of pulp in eating. The melon is better for home use than for shipping, and we believe it is the best table melon today. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 75c; postpaid. Oz. ¼ lb. lb.

Large pkt., 5c. Deduct 10 cents per pound if by express. All Postpaid

COLORADO PRESERVING CITRON. (Green seed.) For Preserves \$0.10 \$0.20 \$0.65

DIXIE. ds. Fruit oval, large, early, and of fine appearance. Skin dark green, striped, flesh deep scarlet, sweet, tender and juicy 50.20 50.55

FLORIDA FAVORITE. ls. Oblong; mottled dark green with lighter stripes 10 20 60

GYPSY OR RATTLESNAKE. ls. Oblong, dark and striped; bright red flesh 10 20 55

GRAY MONARCH (White Icing). ls. Large, long; crimson flesh, light skin 10 20 55

KENTUCKY WONDER. ls. Large, oblong, dark green, red seed and flesh 10 20 55

KLOB GEM. ds. Striped, very large and an excellent shipper 50 20 55

MOUNTAIN SWEET. ds. Early, fruit large, oval, rind dark green, flesh scarlet, solid dark green skin 50 20 55

PHINNEY'S EARLY. ls. Extra early, oblong; flesh pink 10 20 55

ONE OUNCE TO 300 FT. OF DRILL; 4 TO 5 LBS. TO THE ACRE.

## **ONIONS**

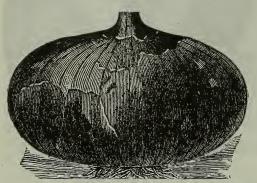
ZWEIBELN

Ready for green onions in 60 days. Main crop matures in 130 to 190 days from sowing.

The onion is most successfully grown in a rich, sandy loam. Continued cultivation upon the same plot of ground, contrary to the general rule, rather improves the crop than otherwise. As early as the ground can be worked in the spring, sow the seeds in drills 14 inches apart, covering half an inch. When the plants can just be seen in the rows, commence hoeing, just skimming the surface. Subsequently weed thoroughly and carefully by hand. When the tops die, pull the onions and spread evenly over the ground; stir or turn until thoroughly dried, then cut the tops off one-half inch from the bulb.

#### NOTICE

Take off 10c per lb. if seed goes by freight. Take off 10c per lb. in 5 lb. lots.



RED WEATHERFIELD

AUSTRALIAN BROWN. Distinct from all others; is nearly round, wonderfully hard and solid, ripens extremely early; never makes scullions; of medium size, skin a deep amber brown, flesh mild and agreeable. No other onion has such keeping qualities. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., \$1.40; postp'd.

EXTRA EARLY RED FLAT. Matures very early, yields abundantly, and is of mild flavor; medium size; deep red and solid. Poor keeper. Pkt., 5e; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 45c; lb., \$1.35; postpaid.

GLOBE WETHERSFIELD RED. Remarkable for size, earliness, productiveness, beauty of color, perfection of shape, and long keeping qualities. Possesses all the excellent qualities of Red Wethersfield and Yellow Globe Danvers. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 45c; lb., \$1.25; postpaid.

LARGE RED WETHERSFIELD. This is the standard and favorite variety. Large size, deep, purplish white, stronger flavored than lighter varieties. Very productive and an excellent keeper. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ¼ 1b., 40c; 1b., \$1.10; postpaid.

MAMMOTH SILVER KING. Handsome flat onion of enormous size, silvery white, tender, of a mild sweet flavor. The best keeper among the white varieties. Pkt., 5e; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 55c; lb., \$1.60; postpaid.

#### ONION SETS

	Pos	tpaid By	Express
4	pt.	qt.	
Red Bottoms	0.15	\$0.25	\$0.15
Yellow Bottoms	.15	.25	.15
White Bottoms	.20	.30	.20
Winter Tops	.10	.20	.10

Write us for prices on onion sets in large lots.

PRIZE TAKER. It is of immense size, nearly a perfect globe, with thin skin of bright straw color. It ripens up hard and fine, and presents a handsome appearance. The flesh is pure white, fine grained, mild and delicate in flavor. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 45c; lb., \$1.35; postpaid.

WHITE PORTUGAL. (Silver Skin.) A large flat onion of mild flavor and great beauty; an excellent early ripening sort. Pkt., 5c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 65c; lb., \$2.10; postpaid.

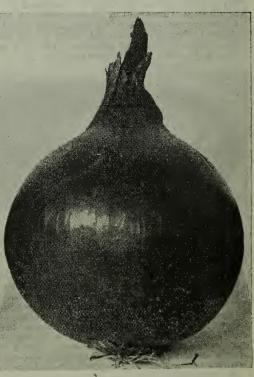
WHITE QUEEN. For pickling; small, flat, pure white; excellent flavor. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 45c; lb., \$1.35; postpaid.

SOUTHPORT WHITE GLOBE. Very large, solid and handsome; deep globe. Pkt., 5c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 65c; lb., \$2.10; postpaid.

SOUTHPORT YELLOW GLOBE. Very large, deep globe; skin rich golden yellow; fine keeper. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ½ 1b., 40c; lb., \$1.10; postpaid.

SOUTHPORT RED GLOBE. Large, matures late; a splendid keeper; of fine quality. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 45c; lb., \$1.25; postpaid.

YELLOW GLOBE DANVERS. A fine productive variety, of medium size, skin coppery yellow, flesh white, comparatively mild and well flavored. Best of keepers. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ½ lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25; postpaid.



RED GLOBE WEATHERFIELD

GROWN IN THE FAR NORTH

ERBSEN

1 qt. to 100 ft. of drill 11/2 bu. per acre

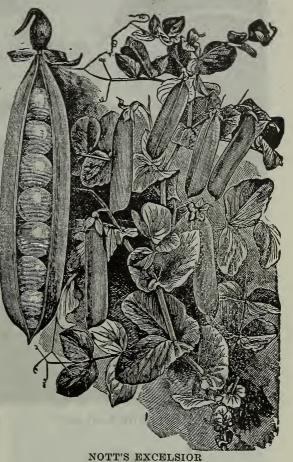
For first early Peas sow in a light, rich soil, as early in March or April as the ground can be worked; for later varieties, sow in April or May. Discontinue sowing from June to August, after which, by sowing an extra early sort, a good crop can generally be secured. As Peas suffer considerfrom drought during the hot summer months, it will be found of great benefit to sow the Peas in a trench six inches in depth, covering the Peas to a depth of two inches. As soon as sufficient growth has been made draw the earth about the vines. In this way a great deal more moisture is kept about the roots than if sown on the level and afterwards hilled up. The wrinkled varieties are not so hardy as the smooth sorts and should be planted later, owing to their liability to rot in the ground, but are much superior in flavor to the smooth Peas. Dwarf varieties sow in rows one foot apart, and taller sorts from 2 to 3 feet apart. Those marked thus \* are wrinkled and sweet.

#### NOTICE

If sent by express at buyer's expense, 8c per pint or 15c per quart may be deducted from above prices.

#### Extra Early Varieties

- ALASKA. 2 ft. The earliest blue pea, of good flavor, dark green pods, well filled and ripen uniformly. One of the very best for market gardeners. Pkt., 5c; pt., 25c; qt., 40c; postpaid.
- \*AMERICAN WONDER. 1 ft. Of the finest quality. Very prolific, with pods of fine size and form; requires no brush or support. It may be planted a week apart for succession. Pkt., 5c; pt., 25c; qt., 45c; postpaid.
- \*McLEAN'S LITTLE GEM. 1 ft. An early dwarf, green, wrinkled pea, of superior flavor and very prolific. Pkt., 5c; pt., 25c; qt., 45c; postpaid.
- \*NOTT'S EXCELSIOR. 1 ft. Earliest wrinkled pea; of close, compact, dwarf growth. The pods average 3 inches in length, and are well filled to the squared ends with large peas, unusually sweet. It not only yields heavily in pods, but also in shell peas. Pkt., 5c; pt., 25c; qt., 45c; postpaid.
- \*PREMIUM GEM. 11/2 ft. The pods are large and crowded with six to eight very large peas of fine quality. The seed is green, large, wrinkled, often flattened. Pkt., 5c; pt., 25c; qt., 45c; postpaid.
- FIRST AND BEST. 21/2 ft. Very early, productive, pods good size and well filled. A favorite market pea. Pkt., 5c; pt., 25c; qt., 40c; postpaid.
- \*GRADUS, OR PROSPERITY. 21/2 ft. An extra early wrinkled variety bearing immense pods, large peas of finest quality, superior both in size and delicious flavor. Pkt., 5c; pt., 30c; qt., 50c; postpaid.
- TOM THUMB. 9 in. A smooth, white sort, very dwarf. Pkt., 5c; pt., 25c; qt., 45c; postpaid.



### Second Early or Medium Variety

\*ABUNDANCE. 2 ft. Long, round, well filled pod, productive, quality perfect. Pkt., 5c; pt., 25e; qt., 45e; postpaid.

\*ADVENCER. 2½ ft. Long pods which are abundantly produced, and well filled to the end; of excellent flavor. A first-class pea in every respect. Pkt., 5c; pt., 25c; qt., 45c; postpaid.

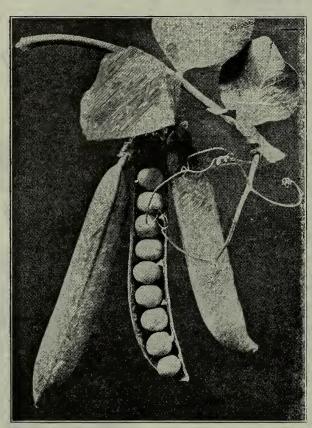
\*EVERBEARING. 2 ft. Peas are very large, of excellent quality. For continuance and profusion of bearing, this variety is unexcelled, which gives especial value for the late summer and autumn use. Pkt., 5c; pt., 25c; qt., 45c; postpaid.

\*HORSFORD'S MARKET GARDEN. 2 ft. great favorite with the market gardeners. Pods are large, well filled with large peas of a delicious sweet flavor. A prolific bearer. Pkt., 5c; pt., 25c; qt., 45c; postpaid.

Muskegon Co., Mich., Oct. 30, 1912. I am positive that Sand Vetch is the only chance for the farmers in these parts, both as a n-under and as feed for cattle.

FRANK S. SCHOLL. turn-under and as feed for cattle.

#### Late or Main Crop Varieties



CHAMPION OF ENGLAND

## **Parsnips**

PASTINAKE

1 oz. to 100 feet of drill, 5 or 6 lbs. per acre. Matures in 125 to 140 days from sed.

Sow in April or early May. Cultivate the same as carrots. They may be dug in the autumn and stored for winter use, but if left in the ground till spring are very much improved in flavor. Sow a liberal quantity of seed, as from its nature it does not always come up well.

HOLLOW CROWN. Standard variety; roots long, very smooth; white, tender, sugary, and of excellent flavor. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 20e; lb., 55c; postpaid.

IMPROVED GUERNSEY. (Improved Half Long.) The roots do not grow so long as the Hollow Crown, but are of greater diameter and more eas-

ily gathered. Very smooth, the flesh fine grained and of excellent quality. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 20c; lb., 55c; postpaid

For a succession of tall growing varieties plant Gradus, Advancer, Champion of England.

\*CHAMPION OF ENGLAND. 4½ ft. Vines are heavy, pods large, nearly straight, and well filled with tender peas, which are sweet and of excellent quality. It is a profuse bearer, most reliable late sort. Pkt., 5c; pt., 25c; qt., 45c; postpaid.

\*TELEPHONE. 4 ft. Immensely productive. The pods are very large, so well filled with peas of excellent quality that Telephone has become one of the most prominent late leas to be grown for market. Pkt., 5; pt., 25e; qt., 45e; postpaid.

of strong growth with large foliage; do not need any support. Pods of large size, well filled with large, dark green peas of rich, sweet flavor. One of the very finest. Pkt., 5c; pt., 25c; qt., 45c; postpaid.

WHITE MARROWFAT. 4 ft. Vines are very robust. Bears many pods, always well filled. The peas are of only ordinary quality. Pkt., 5c; pt., 20c; qt., 35c; postpaid.

MELTING SUGAR. This is the best of the edible podded peas. The pods grow about 5 to 6 inches long, are stringless and very tender, and may be used the same as a snap bean; 3 to 4 ft. Pkt., 5c; pt., 30c; qt., 45c; postpaid.

CANADA FIELD AND COW PEAS. (See Forage Plants, page 7.)

\*Wrinkled and Sweet.

## Okra or Gumbo

ESSBARER SAFRAN

1 oz. to 40 feet of drill. Ready for table in from 90 to 105 days from seed.

The pods when young are used in soups, stews, etc. The plants are of the easiest culture. Sow at the usual time for all tender vegetables, in drills two inches deep, setting the plants 2 feet apart.

IMPROVED DWARF. An early variety, pods comparatively short but very numerous. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 25c; postpaid.

WHITE VELVET. Pods round, smooth, large and attractive; produced in great abundance. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 25c; postpaid.

## **Peanuts**

Culture very simple. Plant in light, sandy soil in April, in pod or shelled, two to a hill on level ground. Hill up from time to time as required. Pkt., 5c; lb., 25c; postpaid.

Woods Co., Okla., Mar. 13, '11.

I wish to say that we are well pleased with your seeds, as they do well in this locality, and we recommend them to our neighbors.

VIRGIL A. WALKER.



## **PARSLEY**

PETERSILIE 1 oz. to 150 feet of drill.

NOTICE

On account of the dry weather Beets, Carrots, Peas and Parsley are almost entire failures. This accounts for high price.

Soak the seeds a few hours in lukewarm water and sow early in the spring in drills one foot apart. Thin out to four inches. A few seeds sown in onion rows use no space. To preserve in winter, transplant to a light cellar or glass frames. Used for garnishing and seasoning.

CHAMPION MOSS CURLED. The plant resembles a tuft of finely curled moss, leaves extra large, and a rich deep green. Valuable for garnishing and also as ornamental foliage plants for borders of beds. Grows in window boxes. Pkt., 5c oz., 15c;

CHAMPION MOSS CURLED PARSLEY 1/4 lb., 35c; lb., \$1.00; postpaid.

EXQUISITE. Beautiful and closely curled leaves of dark green, flavor excellent. As a pot plant for winter in window or on dining table it is simply "exquisite." Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 35c; lb., \$1.00; postpaid.

TURNIP-ROOTED OR HAMBURG. The root is the edible part. Used for flavoring soups. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 35c; lb., \$1.00; postpaid.

Requires from 135 to 160 days from sowing to maturity.

# Pepper

ONE OUNCE TO 2,000 PLANTS

The small peppers are the hottest, the large varieties being quite mild in flavor. Sow in hotbed early in April and transplant to the open ground when weather is favorable. They may also be sown in the open ground when danger of frost is past and the soil is warm.

An extremely large sweet CHINESE GIANT. pepper, deep scarlet when mature, similar in shape to Large Bell, but more than twice as large. Strong, vigorous and productive. Pkt., 5c; oz., 30c; ¼ lb., 90c; postpaid.

GOLDEN DAWN. Golden yellow; mild and sweet, size and shape of Large Bell. Pkt., 5c; oz., 25c; 1/4 lb., 65c; postpaid.

LARGE BELL OR BULL NOSE. Large and early; square shouldered, flesh thick, hard, and less pungent than most other sorts; much used for mangoes. Pkt., 5c; oz., 25c; 1/4 lb., 65c; postpaid.

LONG RED CAYENNE. Bright red; pods slender, hot and pungent. Pkt., 5c; ob., 25c; 1/4 lb., 65c; postpaid.

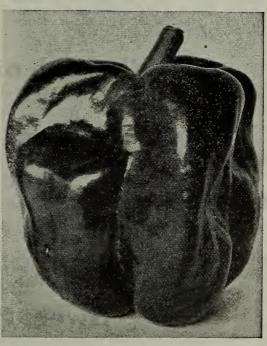
MONSTROUS. Of an irregular conical shape, one side usually being convex, the other concave. One of the most mild in flavor. Very large and of deep red color when ripe. Pkt., 5c; oz., 30c; 1/4 lb., 75c; postpaid.

RED CHILI. Very productive, small, red, very hot. Excellent for pepper sauce Pkt., 5c; oz., 25c; postpaid.

BUBY KING. Fruit very large, scarlet, sweet, of mild flavor, flesh quite thick, one of the best. Pkt., 5c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 65c; postpaid.

SWEET MOUNTAIN. Nearly, if not quite, identical with Bull Nose. Pkt., 5c; oz., 25c; 1/4 lb., 65c; postpaid.

Deuel Co., Nebr., July 28, 1912. I have a fine stand of onions. The seed was all O. K. I am well pleased with the Iron Age Drill and Cultivator and can cheerfully recommend it to anyone. GEO. W. EAGELSTON.



CHINESE GIANT PEPPER PLANTS, Page 14.

Kearney Co., Mar. 16, 1911. We are sending you a large order for seeds and sets and hope you will do well by us. We have ordered seeds of your firm before and they have been very satis-W. H. WHITEHEAD.

One ounce to 50 hills; 3 to 4 pounds per acre.

## **PUMPKINS**

From 100 to 120 days from sowing seed to maturity,

Pumpkins are planted frequently in connection with a crop of corn, or as a second crop after early peas, etc. The following are all thin and tender skinned varieties, as distinctive from the hard or thick-shelled squashes. The fruits are quite susceptible to frost and should be gathered and stored in a cool, dry place. If bruised they will not keep any length of time.

SMALL SUGAR. Fruits of small size, averaging about ten inches in diameter, of excellent keeping qualities, flattened. slightly ribbed. Skin deep orange-yellow, flesh sweet. early. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 20c; lb., 60c; postpaid.

LARGE SWEET CHEESE. Fruit flattened; skin rich cream color; flesh yellow, thick, tender, large, hardy and productvie. Excellent for table use. Good keeper. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ 1b., 20c; 1b., 60c; postpaid.

CONNECTICUT FIELD. Very productive, largely grown for feeding stock. Pkt., 5c oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 15c; lb., 40c; postpaid.

SWEET POTATO. Pear shaped, good size, skin creamy white. The seed is all in the cavity of the large end, the thick neck being solid; exceptionally fine quality. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$ lb., 25c; lb., 75c; postpaid.

JAPANESE PIE. Early and productive, of medium size, large at one end, terminating in a crooked neck. Skin deep green with darker stripes; flesh is a rich salmon color, excellent quality; a good keeper. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 1b., 25c; 1b., 75c; postpaid.

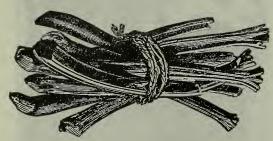


CUSHAW, OR CROOKNECK. (Sometimes called a squash.) Productive; color light cream, sometimes lightly striped; flesh salmon colored, mealy and sweet. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 25c; lb., 70c; postpaid.

KING OF THE MAMMOTHS. (Jumbo or Potiron.) Weighs from 40 to 150 pounds. Round flattened at both ends, skin and flesh bright yellow. It makes a good table pumpkin. Good keeper. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 30c; lb., 90c; postpaid.

## Rhubarb or Pie Plant

RHUBARBER. One ounce to 500 plants



RHUBARB ROOTS. Set in spring and they will be ready for use the following season. 10c each, postpaid; 5c each, 50c per doz., by ex., not prepaid.

The richer the ground is the better. Sow in drills an inch deep, and thin out to six inches apart. In the fall transplant into very highly manured and deeply stirred soil, setting them four feet apart, and give a dressing of coarse manure every spring. The stalks should not be plucked until the second year, and the plant never allowed to exhaust itself by running to seed. In removing be careful to pull off close to the roots 'nstead of cutting.

ICTORIA. Stalks very tall and large; skin thick and red-stained; pulp quite acid; very VICTORIA. productive. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 40c; post-

LINNAEUS. A large and tender sort, sometimes called wine plant. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 40c;

## **Sweet Potatoes**

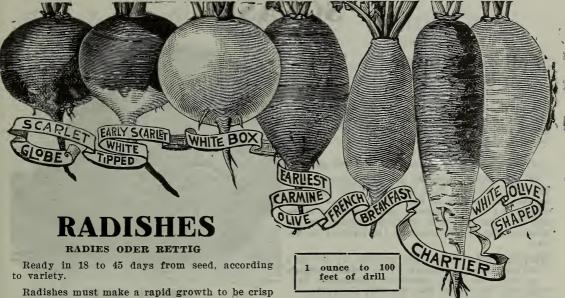
One bushel of Potatoes should produce 2,000 sprouts. 6,000 to 7,000 plants to the acre.

Succeed best in light, sandy loil. Stablemanure is the best fertilizer. To obtain the sprouts the entire potatoes are planted in beds, say 5 or 6 feet wide, and as long as required, the bed being opened 20 inches deep, filled with stable manure, and covered with 4 inches of sand. The potatoes are placed upon the sand 1 inch apart and covered with an inch of sand. This is covered with old hay or trash till the sprouts appear, when more sand is added, after removing trash, till it is 4 inches in depth on top of the potatoes. The sprouts must be detached from the tubers without disturbing them. To do this hold the tuber in place with the left hand while the sprout is taken with the right. The sprouts are transplanted to the field and placed in rows 4 feet apart by a foot in the row. Ninety days are generally allowed from transplanting to digging.

YELLOW JERSEY, YELLOW NANSEMOND. These are the most desirable varieties. Ready about April 1. Write for prices

April 1. Write for prices.

SWEET POTATO PLANTS. Ready about May 1. For prices see page 14. POTATOES, IRISH-(See Page 13.)



and tender. For early use sow in the hotbed, half an inch deep. For an early crop in the open ground sow thinly in drills on rich, sandy soil as early in the spring as it is fit to work. For a succession sow every two weeks.

\*EARLY BIRD. Bright red turnip, medium size. Ready to pull in 20 days after sowing. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 20c; lb., 60c; postpaid.

\*GIANT CRIMSON GLOBE. This is a new variety suitable for forcing or early planting out of doors. It will grow to 6 and 7 inches in cir-cumference and still remain solid and juicy, often 4 inches across. It is round to oval, and is very attractive. Pkt., 5c oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 25c; lb., 70c; postpaid.

GLASS OR CINCINNATI MARKET. This new radish is a fine acquisition. It is a long radish of light red color, of uniform size. The flesh is transparent white, always crisp and brittle, even if grown to a large size, and mild flavored. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 20c; lb., 60c; postpaid.

\*ICICLE. The roots, 4 inches long, are stump-rooted and of transparent whiteness, with short leaves; grows very quickly, excellent flavor. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 20c; lb., 60c postpaid.

NEW SPARKLER. A distinct, new 18 to 21-day radish; has a beautiful bright scarlet top, with tip of purest white. It is solid, crisp and sweet, remaining so for a long time. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 35c; lb., \$1.00; postpaid.

TUTTGART. Early giant white, large top-shaped, often 4 inches across, flesh and skin STUTTGART. white. Remains crisp and solid even after it has attained its full size. Can be stored for winter use. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 20c; lb., 65c; postpaid.

SAKURAJIMA, MAMMOTH JAPANESE. largest radish known. Grows in its native country (Japan) to the weight of 21 lbs. Sow here in June or July same as winter radishes. Pkt., 5c oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 35c.

## OTHER POPULAR EARLY AND SUMMER RADISHES

Large Packets, 5c. Deduct 10c per pound if by express.					
TURNIP SHAPED VARIETIES B	y Mail	Post	paid		
		1/4 lb.			
*NON PLUS ULTRA. The standard forcing Radish; roots dark red, crisp and tender.  EARLY SCARLET TURNIP. Very early for general use	\$0.10 S	\$0.20 \$ .20	0.60 .55		
EARLY SCARLET GLOBE. Deep scarlet; flesh white and tender	.10	.20	.55		
SCARLET TURNIP, WHITE TIP Beautiful and profitable for home and market			.55		
*ROSY GEM. Tops and roots both small; skin bright scarlet, tipped white	.10	.20	.60		
WHITE BOX. Popular white variety, grows quite large	.10	.20	.55		
OLIVE-SHAPED SORTS			to the		
*EARLIEST CARMINE OLIVE. Excellent quality, very bright and attractive	.10	.20	.60		
*WHITE OLIVE FORCING. White flesh and skin; crisp and mild flavor	.10	.20	.60		
*FRENCH BREAKFAST. Red, tipped with white; very handsome	.10	.20	.55		
LONG VARIETIES					
LONG SCARLET, SHORT TOP. The standard long scarlet variety	.10	.20	.55		
CHARTIER OR SHEPHERD. Large, long, summer radish; scarlet, white tip	.10	.20	.55		
WHITE VIENNA, OR LADY FINGER. White roots which are crisp and tender	.10	.20	.65		
WHITE STRASBURG. Most popular summer sort, 4 inches long, 2 inches thick		.20	.65		
SUMMER RADISHES, MIXED. Round and long	.10	.20	.55		
WINTER SORTS					
Sow in July. Pull before severe frost and store in damp cellar.					
CHINESE ROSE. (Scarlet China.) Large oval, bright rose-colored, good keeper	.10	.20	.65		
CALIFORNIA MAMMOTH WHITE. Very large, growing twelve inches long	.10	.20	.65		
ROUND BLACK SPANISH. Fine globe shaped, popular with Germans	.10	.20	.65		
*For greenhouse forcing, hotbed planting or for extra early outdoors.	.10	.20	.65		

## **SQUASH**

## Fall and Winter Sorts

1 oz. to 20 hills; \$ to 4 lbs. to the acre. Hills 8 feet apart each way.

From planting to maturity 100 to 125 days.

If the winter varieties are not planted until the latter part of June they are more liable to escape the ravages of the borer. Gather before injured by frost for winter use, care being taken not to break the stem from the squash, as the slightest injury will increase the liability to decay.

ORANGE MARROW. The earliest by 10 days of the winter squashes. It is creamy orange in color; fine form, handsome appearance. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 60c; postpaid.

BOSTON MARROW. (Autumnal.) form, skin bright orange, mottled with cream color; flesh rich salmon yellow, fine grained and good flavor, unexcelled for pies. Pkt., 5c; os., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 60c; postpaid.

CHICAGO WARTED HUBBARD. Large size, dark green color, distinguished by a dense covering of knots (warts), a sure indication of splendid quality, thick flesh; good keeper. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 75c; postpaid.

GOLDEN HUBBARD. Similar to the above except that the skin is deep orange yellow. Flesh fine grained and of excellent flavor. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10e; 1/4 lb., 30e; lb., 80e; postpaid.

MAMMOTH CHILI. Enormous size, round, flattened at ends, skin orange color and slightly ribbed. Flesh thick and deep yellow. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 30c; lb., 90c; postpaid.

PERFECT GEM. Nearly round; skin creamy white fiesh fine grained. Vine bears great number of small squashes. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 14 lb., 30c; lb., 80c; postpaid.

WINTER CROOK NECK. Fruit long and crooknecked, skin dark green mixed with yellow. A fine keeper. Pkt., 5c oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 75e; postpaid.

MARBLEHEAD. Resembling the Hubbard, but of a lighter color, and is remarkable for its sweetness, dryness and deidlous flavor. Good keeper. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 75c; postpaid.

SIBLEY. (Pike's Peak.) Pear-shaped with stem on large end, skin smooth, pale green; flesh thick, orange color; very dry, rich and delicate flavor. Pkt., 5e; oz., 10e; ¼ lb., 25e; lb., 75e; postpaid.

Phelps Co., Nebr., Apr. 20, 1910. Received seeds and bulbs in good condition yesterday. Can conscientiously recommend your goods, as they have always given the best of satisfaction, being especially adapted yesterday. to this climate. A. L. POLHERNUS.



HUBBARD SQUASH

## Summer and Early Sorts

One sunce to 20 hills; 4 to 5 lbs. to the acre. Hills 4 feet apart each way. Ready for use in from 55 to 65 days from plant-

ing. Any good enriched soil is adapted to the growth of the Squash. The seed should not be sown in the spring until danger from the frost is past and the ground is warm and thoroughly

is past and the ground is warm and thoroughly settled. Keep the earth about the plants loose and clean. Three plants to the null. For remedy against bugs see Insecticides. (Pages 70-71.) FORDHOOK. Small, oblong, shell yellow, flesh dry and sweet, and of good flavor. Very early; desirable for either summer or winter use. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 30c; lb., 85c; postpaid. GOLDEN BUSH SCALLOP. A very early, flat, scalloped variety; skin deep yellow; flesh pale yellow and well flavored. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ½ lb., 25c; lb., 60c; postpaid.

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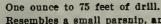
SUMMER CROOK NECK. Very early and productive. Fruit about one foot long, with crooked neck and warty surface; color bright yellow. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., .60c.; postpaid.

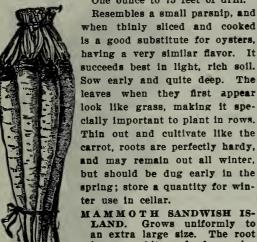


WHITE BUSH SCALLOP.

WHITE BUSH SCALLOP. (Patty Pan.) Very early, skin white, flesh tender and delicate, bears abundantly. Pkt., 5c oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25e; lb., 60c; postpaid.

## Salsify or Vegetable Oyster





MAMMOTH SANDWISH IS-LAND. Grows uniformly to an extra large size. The root is pure white and of superior quality. Invaluable to market gardeners. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 14 lb., 25c; lb., 85c; postpaid.

## Swiss Chard or Sea Kale

Far superior to the common beet for greens, of almost the same flavor and equal to spinach. It is much easier to wash and prepare for the table. Sown early in the spring in rows, and the seedlings thinned out to 6 inches in the rows, it makes rapid growth of leaves, and is At for use for greens sooner than any other variety, and can be cut throughout the entire summer. Later the leaves grow very large, with broad, flat, wax-like stems and mid-ribs, which may be cooked like asparagus or made into pickles. Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 35c; lb., \$1.00; postpaid.

Mason Co., Mich., Mar., '10. Your Corn Saver Beets are fine for cows I raised some 7 inches in diameter and about 20 inches long. MRS. AUGUSTA LARSON.

## Spinach

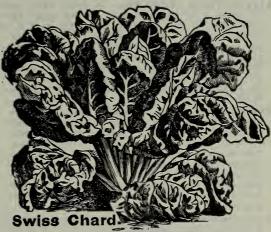
One ounce to 100 feet of drill; 12 lbs. per acre. Cultivated very extensively for "greens." A profitable crop for market. Select a rich, welldrained soil, highly manured. For a succession, sow early in April and again in May, in drills one foot apart and one inch deep, properly thinning out when the plants are an inch in the leaf. For early spring use, sow early in autumn and protect the plants with a light covering of leaves or

BLOOMSDALE. (Savoy.) The earliest of all and one of the best; the leaves are numerous, curled and wrinkled. Oz., 5c; 1/4 lb., 10c; lb., 30c; post-

LONG-STANDING. (Thick Leaved.) A fine market sort. Leaves large and thick, somewhat crumpled. Does not run to seed early. Oz., 5c: 1/4 lb., 10c; lb., 30c; postpaid.

PRICKLY. (Fall.) The hardest of all, therefore the best where the winters are severe. Oz., 5c: 1/4 lb., 10c; lb., 30c; postpaid.

NEW ZEALAND. Entirely different from true spinach in type, in that it thrives during hot weather and in any soil, rich or poor. The tender shoots with golden yellow leaves are of good quality and may be cut throughout the summer. This is something new, but extra good. Plant three or four seeds in hills two feet apart each way. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/2 lb., 25c; lb., 85c; postpaid.



Mature in from 90 to 150

days from planting.

1 ounce to 2,000 plants. 1/4 lb. (transplanted) per acre

## Tomatoes

LIEBESAPFEL

For Tomato Plants see Page 14. For early plants sow seeds in boxes or hotbeds in March. When the plants are about two inches high, transplant to four inches apart each way. Set out of doors as soon as danger from frost is ever. Transplant carefully four feet apart each way, and cultivate well as long as the vines will permit. To obtain early fruit, pinch off the ends of the branches when the first fruit is set.

## SMALL TOMATOES

Used for preserves, pickles, and to make "tomato figs."	Post Pkt.	paid Os.
YELLOW PEAR. Bright yellow color; flesh yellow and fine flavored.	0.05	\$0.25
RED PEAR. Fruit bright red, and of excellent flavor, distinctly pear shaped	.05	.25
YELLOW PLUM. Plum-shaped, clear, deep yellow, fine flavored	.05	.35
YELLOW CHERRY. Same as Red Cherry, except color		
YELLOW PEACH. About 11/2 inches across; skin like a peach, and pink	.05	.25
RED CHERRY. About five-eighths of an inch in diameter; borne in clusters.		
HUSK. (Ground Cherry.) Fruit golden yellow, size of cherry		.35

DWARF CHAMPION. (Tree Tomato.) A great favorite. Extra early dwarf and compact in habit, the plant growing stiff and upright, fruit smooth, medium sized, purplishpink. Pkt., 5c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 75c; postpaid.

EARLIANA. It is a full week ahead of all others. Plants of strong growth and very productive. Fruits large, deep red, and of superior quality. Smooth and free from cracks. Pkt., 5c; oz-25c; 1/4 lb., 75c; postpaid.

CRIMSON CUSHION. (Beefsteak). Fruit very large, round and regular; bright scarlet; flesh solid and of the best quality; very productive. Pkt., 5c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 75c; postpaid.

CHALK'S EARLY JEWEL. The largest, smoothest, and finest flavored, early bright red tomato, so hardy that a very early planting can be made in the open ground. The foliage protects the fruit, borne in clusters, from sun-scald enabling the heavy crop to ripen perfectly. The tomatoes are bright scarlet, deep globe shape, large and solid. Produced continuously throughout the season. Pkt., 5c; oz., 25c; 1/4 lb., 75c; postpaid.

DWARF STONE. Livingston's. Very early and productive; in size, color and quality of fruit equals the Stone; in habit of vine resembles Dwarf Champion, but is stronger and more erect, admitting very close planting. Pkt., 5c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 65c; postpaid.

JUNE PINK. An extra early purple-fruited tomato similar to the popular scarlet-fruited Earliana in growth of vine, shape and size of fruit and time of maturing. Pkt., 5c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 80c; postpaid.

LIVINGSTON'S HUMMER. It is as round as a ball, and as there is very little indenture about the stem, there is practically no waste in preparing the fruits for use. The fiesh is rich crimson scarlet and of a very fine quality. Ripens early, and is especially good for canning. Not quite as large as some varieties, but a good keeper, thus making it a good variety for marketing. Pkt., 5c; oz., 30c; ¼ lb., 95c; postpaid.

IVINGSTON'S CORELESS. A new, large main-crop variety. In shape it is almost round, having about the same diameter each way. It has no green core, and is of a bright red color, making it very valuable either for slicing or for canning. It is immensely productive and the firm, solid flesh makes it one of the best for long distance having or chipping. LIVINGSTON'S CORELESS.

for long distance hauling or shipping. It ripens all over and through and up under the stem all at the same time. Pkt., 5c; oz., 35c; 1/4 lb., \$1.00; postpaid.

LIVINGSTON'S NEW GLOBE. Beautiful globe shape, permitting a greater number of slices than with flatter sorts. Among the very first to ripen, large size, very smooth, firm fleshed, few seeds, ripens evenly; color rose, tinged purple. Flavor excellent. The fruit is borne on short, jointed branching plants in great abundance. A good general cropper; one of the best for forcing. Pkt., 5c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 75c; postpaid.

PONDEROSA. Of immense size, solid, meaty, almost seedless, pinkish, purple, and of good flavor, late. Pkt., 5c; oz., 30c; ¼ 1b., \$1.00; postpaid.

STONE. Large, perfectly smooth; bright scarlet; ripening even to the stem without a crack; very solid and heavy. The standard main crop variety. Pkt., 5c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 65c; postpaid.



LIVINGSTON HUMMER



NEW GLOBE

## OTHER STANDARD VARIETIES

		Postr	
	Pkt.	Oz.	¼lb.
ACME. Bright pink; smooth, round, early, productive and popular	0.05	\$0.20	\$0.65
BEAUTY. Large, smooth, purplish pink, thick flesh; regular form	.05	.20	.60
ENORMOUS. Color deep red, smooth, solid meat, and a few seeds	.05	.25	.80
FAVORITE. Large, smooth, productive; a good shipper and canner			
GOLDEN QUEEN. The best, large, smooth, yellow tomato; finest quality	.05	.25	.75
QUARTER CENTURY. Very early. Like the Dwarf Champion, only bright red	.05	.25	.75
TROPHY. Large and bright red, solid, smooth; a great yielder	.05	.20	.60

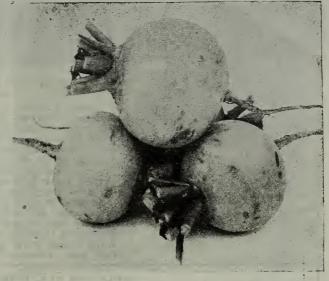
Ready from 40 to 60 days from seed.

## TURNIPS

1 oz. to 150 ft. of drill; 2 lbs. to acre.

The simplest method of keeping root crops in good condition for winter use. Store in cool celiar in boxes, etc., and cover with dry sand or fine soil, thus excluding the air. They will keep as solid as when freshly dug, and are ready for use at any time.

The turnip is most easily affected in form and flavor, by soil, climate and mode of culture. Sow in drills about 16 inches apart and half an inch deep, or sow broadcast, but in either case be sure to have the ground rich and freshly dug. Sow for main crop from the middle of July to the last of August. In the field, turnips are generally sown broadcast, though much larger crops are obtained by drill culture.



EXTRA EARLY PURPLE TOP MILAN. Two weeks earlier than any other. Flat; white, with purple top, flesh white, fine grained and delicate. Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 20c; lb., 60c; postpaid.

EXTRA EARLY WHITE MILAN. Similar to above, but pure white. Pkt., 5c oz., 10c; 1/4

lb., 20c; lb., 60c; postpaid. EARLY PURPLE TOP GLOBE. Deservedly popular, heavy producer, of rapid growth, and superior quality; either for the table or stock. An excellent keeper. Pkt., 5c; oz., 8c; 1/4 lb.,

20c; lb., 45c; postpaid.

PURPLE TOP STRAP LEAF FLAT. The old, well-known sort for early spring and fall; purple above ground, flesh fine grained, of mild flavor and a good keeper. Pkt., 5c; oz., 8c; ¼ lb., 20c; lb., 45c; postpaid.

WHITE EGG. An egg-shaped variety, for spring or fall sowing; flesh white, firm, fine grained, mild and sweet; particularly desirable for Pkt., 5c; oz., 8c; 1/4 lb., 20c lb., 50c; postpaid.

(Six Weeks.) EARLY WHITE SNOWBALL. perfect globe-shaped, white-skinned turnip. A good keeper; fine for family or market. Pkt., 5c; oz., 8c; ¼ lb., 20c; lb., 50c; postpaid.

EARLY WHITE FLAT DUTCH, STRAP-LEAVED. A fine early white sort, of quick

growth and good quality. 4 lb., 20c; lb., 45c; postpaid. Pkt., 5c oz., 8c;

large Yellow. (Amber Globe.) Flesh yellow, fine grained and sweet; very hardy and productive, splendid keeper. Pkt., 5c; oz., 8c; 4/4 lb., 20c; lb., 45c; postpaid.

GOLDEN BALL. (Orange Jelly.) Yellow fleshed; a rapid grower, of fine flavor. Pkt., 5c; oz., 8c; ¼ lb.. 20c; lb.. 45c; postpaid.

POMERANIAN WHITE GLOBE. Very produc-

tive; in good soil roots grow from 10 to 12 poundsffi good for table or stock. Pkt., 5c; oz., Sc; ¼ lb.. 20c; lb., 45c; postpaid. COW-HORN. A white turnip of peculiar long

shape and quick maturity. It grows to a large size, standing half out of the ground. Pkt., 5c; oz., 8c; 1/4 lb., 20c; lb., 50c; postpaid.

## Ruta Bagas or Swedes

Should be sown about a month earlier than turnips. AMERICAN PURPLE TOP. Tops very small; bulbs large; skin purple above, yellow underneath; flesh golden yellow, fine texture, sweet and of richest flavor; hardy, productive, and a good keeper; desirable for table use and stock feeding. Pkt., 5c; oz., 8c; ¼ lb., 15c; lb., 40c; postpaid.

SKIRVING'S PURPLE TOP YELLOW. Quite productive;

flesh yellow and sweet flavor, shape oblong. Pkt., 5c; oz.,

lb., 15c; lb., 40c; postpaid.

SWEET GERMAN. (Long White French.) Bulb enormous. Flesh white, solid and rich. The best keeper of all the Swedes, and popular for both table and stock. Pkt., 5c; oz., 8c; 1/4 lb., 15c; lb., 40c; postpaid.

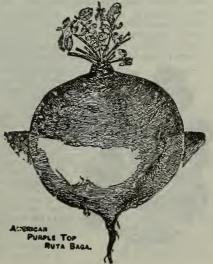
## l'obacco

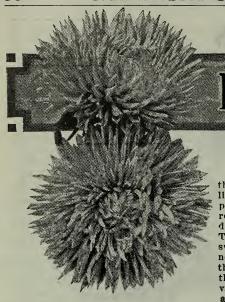
One ounce will sow about 25 square feet and produce plants for one acre.

CONNECTICUT SEED LEAF. An old, well-known variety. Pkt., 5c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 60c; postpaid.

HAVANA. Best for the manufacture of cigars. Pkt., 5c; oz.,

20c; 1/4 lb., 60c; postpaid.





# FLOWER SEEDS

#### IT WILL PAY YOU TO READ THE FOLLOW-ING CAREFULLY:

General Culture.—A rather light and moderately rich soil thoroughly spaded, is most desirable. That the tiny seedlings may be seen and the weeds removed, it is better to plant all flower seeds in rows. Sow the seed evenly in the rows, cover with the finest of soil, about three times the diameter of the seed, and press the soil firmly over the seed. The soil should never become dry after the seeds have swelled, for if it does, they will be pretty sure to fail. Do not grow the plants too thick. Keep the weeds down and the surface of the soil well stirred with a hoe or rake during the summer, especially if the weather is dry. A great many varieties can be sown in the house, if desired early, and afterwards transplanted. Most plants will continue to bloom much longer if the flowers are picked, and not allowed to form seed. Discount: Any 6 of our Large 5c Packets for 25c.

#### BULE FOR PLANTING

Cover seed three times the depth of seed planted. Keep covered with cloth or paper till sprouts appear.

### SEEDS OF ANNUALS

In this department we include both annuals that bloom and die the first year, and such perennials as flower freely for the first year.

For other vines, see Page 51. For house plants, see Page 53. For other perennials, see Page

For started plants, see pages 48-49. ACROCLINIUM. Daisy-like, everlasting flowers; pink and white with yellow center .. AGERATUM. One of the best border flowers, blooming all summer; of easy culture. Grows 5 inches high. Blue or white ... 5c AGROSTEMMA. (Rose of Heaven.) Attractive pink-like blossoms on long, slender stems. Very pretty in masses. Perennial..5c ALYSSUM. Profuse bloomer, good for bordering or for bouquets, fine for window boxes. Sow very early... Sweet. Fragrant white flowers. The old favorite...... Little Gem. Dwarf and compact. Good for border..... Carpet of Snow. Very dwarf trailing plants...... ASTERS. (For aster plants see page 53.) One of the most popular

of our garden flowers for late summer and fall display. seed early and give deep soil with plenty of mulch. Hohenzollern. Improved. The flowers are very large and double,

with long, curled petals on long stems, very graceful. pink, lavender, purple and mixed..... (See cut at top of page.) A beautiful, distinct Giant Comet. variety, resembling chrysanthemums. Mixed...



ANTIRRHINUM

AMARANTHUS. Rapid growing, bright-colored foliage plants. Sow seed early and set out in rather poor soil to get

Of easiest culture.



ALYSSUM, SWEET.

Queen of the North. Large, fragrant, white flowers. Nice for pot-culture as well as borders...5c Tall Sorts, Mixed. All shades of red and yellow; best for cutting...........................5c
Dwarf Sorts, Mixed. Large variety of colors;

BALSAM.



BALSAM, DOUBLE CAMELLIA BUTTERFLY FLOWER. See Schizanthus.

vellow ...

CASTOR BEAN. See Ricinus, Page 42.
CANDYTUFT. A dwarf-growing annual, making a striking display early in the season Sow early where plants are to bloom. Grows one foot high.

A complete mass of pure white flow-

Empress. A complete mass ers. Valuable for bouquets... Fine Mixed. Red, pink and white .....

CANNA. (Indian Shot.) Stately plants with handsome foliage and showy flowers. The seeds should be soaked 24 hours in warm water be-fore planting. If sown in February should bloom in July.

plants .....

Cristata. (Cocks-comb.) Free bloom-ing dwarf plants producing spikes of comb-shaped flow-ers ......5c

CALLIOPSIS. showy plant, producing flowers of yellow, red and brown. Sow quite early, and thin to 6 inches

thin to 6 inches apart. Mixed........5c CENTAUREA. These old-fashioned flowers are fine for borders. 

borne on long, stout stems. Keeps for a week in water, if cut just when about to open; white, lilac, rose and purple, 2 ft. high. Mixed...........5c



CALLIOPSIS



FOR FERTILIZER IN THE FLOWER BEDS USE "SWARD FOOD." PAGE 63



CUBMUS

S. An autumn plant with feathery foli-The flowers are borne profusely in loose ors. Seeds should be sown early in the g and the plants transplanted to two feet spring and the plants transplanted to two apart whe feet high. when danger from frost is past.

pearl-white flowers......



planthus. Of value for bedding. The colors range from pure white to the richest crimson, spot-ted and striped. Perennial but bloom the ennal but bloom the first summer, and for years, if the flowers are freely picked.
Chinensis. (Double Chinese or Indian Pinks.) Compact plants with large clusters of do a hold 

Heddewigi. (Double Japan Pinks.) Much larger than the Chinese pinks......5c Heddewigi Fireball.

Brilliant scarlet.....5c Heddewigi Snowball. Pure white......5c Heddewigi Mixed. All

colors ......5c
Heddewigi Midnight. Blood red.....5c EVERLASTINGS—(See Acroclinium, Globe Amaranth, Gypsophila.) Celosia. Pick when flowers first open and hang, stems up, to dry for winter bouquets......5c

**ESCHOLTZIA** California Poppy Sow early, where it is to remain, as it remain, as it will not bear transplanting. The foliage is finely cut and handsome and the flowers are very showy, large and free-ly produced. Californica, All shades of yel-

FOUR O'CLOCK. (Marvel of Peru.) The fragrant flowers, produced in clusters,

CALIFORNIA POPPY

which resemble a double hyacinth, are borne freely in long spikes of blue, pink and white. The plants are of dwarf habit. Sow where the plants are to bloom ..



GAILLARDIA
LOBELIA. Crystal Palace. Charming little
plants that bloom very quickly from seed and
continue all through the season. Deep blue, 6
inches high. Very nice for bedding or for

MARIGOLD. Wherever a rich display of bloom is desired, the Marigold is almost indispen-Immense flowers, double; all shades African. of yellow..... French. Dwarf grower; double flowers, rich golden yellow marked with velvety brown.......5c

MIGNONETTE. (Reseds Odorata.) A well known fragrant favorite; in bloom the whole season if gathered freely. Large flowering......5c



NASTURTIUM. Dwarf or Tom Thumb. A bed of dwarf nasturtiums in the yard is very brilliant and attractive, blooming all the season. Beauty. Scarlet, splashed canary..... Chamaleon. Mottled crimson, bronze and yel-Crystal Palace Gem. Sulphur with maroon Golden King. Deep yellow flowers..... Golden Queen. Leaves golden-green, flowers orange vellow ..... King of Tom Thumbs. Bright, red, dark foli-.....5c age ... Scarlet King. Brilliant scarlet......5c Mixed, oz. 10c.....

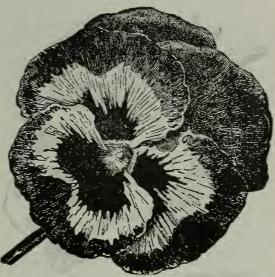
NICOTIANA. Affinis. Deliciously fragrant, large white, star-shaped flowers; open at evening and early morning; easily grown, blooms freely in the house ... Sanderae. Sweet scented, brilliant red flowers or sturdy, bushy plants 2 ft. high; grows readily from seed ...

NIGELIA. Miss Jekyll. (Love in a Mist.) plants are vigorous and give an abundance of flowers of the clearest blue, contrasting most charmingly with the fine, fern-like foliage.....5c PANSIES. For started plants see page 53. The

seed may be sown in the hot bed or open ground. Keep the soil moist. They prefer a half shady place. Do not let the plants seed if you wish to keep them in bloom. If sown in the fall, pansies will bloom very early in the

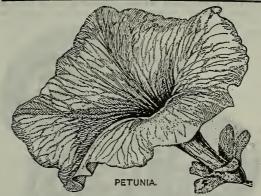
Masterpiece. (Giant Curled.) The fluted petals make the enormous flowers appear double. The colors and combinations are odd and striking ... Mammoth Butterfly. The flowers are very large. The colors are rich red, chocolate, and purple shades, mottled and spotted......15c Bugnot. The flowers are large, with broad blotches, and delicate pencilings to the edges of the petals... Odier. The blotched, or five-spotted variety. Very rich and showy Fancy Striped. A striking mixture

PANSY SPECIAL-No. 19. One Packet each of Bugnot, Mammoth Butterfly and Odier 25c.



Giant English Show. Splendid mixed from the largest named flowers only.....25c Fine Mixed. A very good quality.....5c Giant Adonis. Light blue.....5c Giant Atropurpurea. Dark purple.....5c Giant Bronze. Shades of bronze.....5c Giant Cardinal. Brilliant red......5c Giant Emperor William. Dark blue.....5c Giant Goldelse. Yellow.....5c Giant King of Blacks. Beautiful blacks......5c Giant Snow Queen. Pure white..... Special Giant Mixture. An excellent combination of fancy strains, selected with a view to being as near perfection as possible.....10c

PANSY SPECIAL-No. 14. 1 pkt. of each of the next above 8 Giant named colors



PETUNIA. Petunias are very popular for their rich coloring, continuation of bloom, pleasing fragrance, and easy culture. Can be sown in the open border, in full sun or partial shade. Transplant easily, 11/2 feet high.

General Dodds. Beautiful; velvety, dark red..5c Snowball. Compact growing, pure white, blooms all summer..... Howard's Star. Rich, velvety, maroon with a

white blotch on each petal. Fine Mixed. An excellent mixture..... Giant Ruffled and Fringed Single. The flowers are exquisitely ruffled or frilled, of immense size, and of great varieties of colors.....10c

Double Mixed. Sure to produce a good percentage of double flowering plants.....

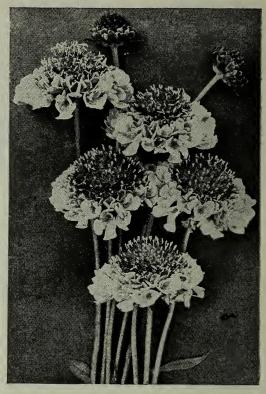


ground in early spring will begin flowering about July first and bloom until frost. Thrives in almost any situation. For masses of separate colors or for bouquets they are unsurpassed. One foot high.

Alba. Pure white PHLOX DRUMMONDI. ground in early spring

OPPIES. These exceedingly showy and easily cultivated plants grow and bloom well in ordinary soil. Sow the seeds where the plants are to grow, as they do not bear transplanting. Tulip. Cup-shaped, brightest scarlet, with black spot at base of each petal. Single........5c Paeony-Flowered Mixed. Splendid large double





#### SCABIOSA

of purest white...

Carnation-Flowered. Brilliant, finely fringed double flowers of various colors......5c

Double Mixed. Not all the plants will come double, but the single ones can be pulled

ICINUS. (Castor Bean.) Semi-tropical plants grown for their great size and picturesque foliage; colors range from bright green to dark red. One plant or a dozen make an admirable sight for a long distance. 6 feet to 10 feet RICINUS. high



SNAPDRAGON. See Antirrhinum, page 38.
STOCK. German Ten Weeks' Perfection. Very desirable because of its brilliancy of color, profusion and duration of bloom. Fragrant, with large double rosette-like flowers. Mixed.......10c
Princess Alice. Snow white. Of branching habit. Very profuse bloomer, especially if kept cut STOCK.

ERBENA. (For started plants see page 53.)
For beds or massing the verbena is unrivalled;
flowers of the most brilliant colors. Sow them
early and they will bloom profusely from June
until winter.
Deflance Best seed to be VERBENA.

cool room..

## Seeds of House Plants

These can readily be grown if given careful attention. For winter blooming, plant during the spring or summer, in shallow boxes, in mellow soil about one-fourth sand. Sow the seed on the surface, and cover with a very little more soil; water carefully, cover with a pane of glass and keep dark until the seeds germinate, then light and air should be admitted by removing glass, partially at first. Place the box in the sun and transplant when large enough.

HRYSANTHEMUM. Perennial. Japanese and Chinese large flowering. These are for pot culture, for blooming in the house in winter. If sown early, will flower the first year. Double CHRYSANTHEMUM.

COLEUS. The best known of ornamental foliage plants with richly-colored leaves of maroon, green, yellow, etc. Easily grown either in the

all

all 5c

ICE PLANT. (Mesembryanthemum.) Suitable for rock work, hanging baskets, etc. Foliage thick, frosted, wax-like. 5c

IMPATIENS SULTANI. Rosy carmine flowers one inch in diameter, produced freely throughout the season. Although a house plant, it does finely out of doors. 10c

KENILWORTH IVY. (Linaria.) Beautiful trailing plant, with white delicate flowers, for hanging baskets. 5c

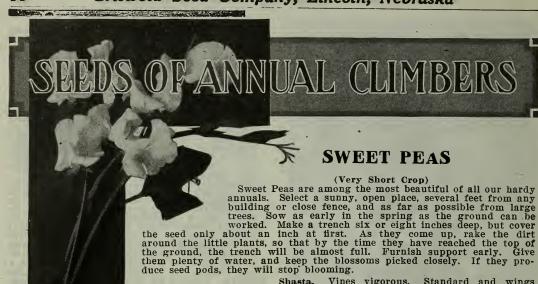
LANTANA. Shrubby plant with Verbena-like flowers, in shades white, red and yellow. 5c

LOBELIA. A dwarf plant, splendid for porch boxes, hanging baskets and vases. Deep blue flowers and dark foliage. 5c

PRIMULA. (Chinese Primrose.) One of the finest plants for winter blooming in the house; do well in a cool room and in north window where most other plants fail; very profuse flowering 15c

in moist place





PRICE OF NAMED COLORS

Except where noted, 5c per pkt., 6 pkt. 25c. 15c per oz., 1 oz. each of oz., 1 oz. each of any four varieties, 50c; each variety is 40c per 1/4 lb.; \$1.35 per lb., postpaid.

ROSE

Mrs.

rs. Dugdale. Light carmine markings of primrose.

chyllis Unwin. Very large size. Rosy carmine. Wales. Rosy crimson with large Phyllis Unwin. of Ware

Prima Donna. Exquisite rose pink; large and profuse. Oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 50c; lb., \$1.60.

BRIGHT RED

King Edward VII. Grand large flowers of a rich crimson scarlet. Salopian. Rich red scarlet; large and fine.

ORANGE

Evelyn Byatt. Standard rich orange salmon, wings a somewhat deeper shade. Very striking. Helen Lewis Spencer. Orange-rose wings with rich, crimson-orange standard. Pkt. 10c; ¼ lb., \$1.00; lb., \$3.50.

Miss Wilmott. One of the rich.

sweet peas.

PINK AND WHITE

Extra Early Blanche Ferry. Standard rose-pink, wings creamy white. Very early.

MAROON

Black Knight. Deep maroon, veined black; large

and open.
Othello. Chocolate-red, self-colored.
Shazada. Rich and dark; very attractive.

LAVENDER AND LIGHT BLUE Lady Grisel Hamilton. A very light dainty lavender.

Frank Dolby. Pale blue, very large and fine.

PURPLE AND BLUE

Duke of Westminster. Very rich purple, tinted with violet.

Navy Blue. Dark indigo blue. Large and well formed.

Horace Wright. Large purple flowers on long stems.

WHITE

Dorothy Eckford. Pure white flowers, beautifully

shell-shaped; extra large, three on a stem.

Nora Unwin. Nicely waved or fluted; usually has three flowers on a stem. One of the best white sweet peas yet introduced. Pkt. 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 60c; lb., \$1.85.

Shasta. Vines vigorous.

both waved. Creamy white wnen changing to ivory white.

Burpee's White Spencer. Extra long stems bearing three or four pure white blossoms. Standards fluted. Pkt. 10c; oz. 30c; 1/4 lb., \$1.00;

Hon. Mrs. E. Kenyon. Cream or pale yellow. Large flowers. Sybil Eckford. Wings delicate lemon; standard blush pink or lemon ground.

DEEP PINK

Bolton's Pink. The extra large expanded flowers are of a soft salmon-orange pink, very showy.

Apple Blossom. Heavily shaded and edged with deep pink, rose and white.

LIGHT PINK

Countess Spencer. Enormous flowers, delicate pink shading deeped at the edges. Pkt. 10c; oz. 25c; ¼ lb., 75c; lb., \$2.50.

Lovely. A soft shell pink. Very good. Oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 50c; lb., \$1.60.

Gladys Unwin. A pale rose pink, with large bold flowers on long stems. Very early. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 60c; lb., \$1.85.

SPECIAL MIXED. A well proportioned mixture of the above named varieties. Light or dark shades as preferred. 15c per oz., 35c per 1/4 lb.; \$1.20 per lb.; postpaid.

DOUBLE MIXED. Double flowers all colors mixed 5c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c.
CHOICE MIXED. A good mixture of many old and new varieties, 5c per pkt.; 10c per oz.; 30c per ¼ lb.; 90c per lb., postpaid.

#### OTHER CLIMBERS



ARISTOLOCHIA. (Dutchman's Pipe.) An ornametal climber with brownish flowers resembling a miniature pipe. A perfectly hardy perennial standing any climate where the oak leaves.....5c

BALLOON VINE (Love in a Puff)

A rapid growing, graceful climber. Thrives in light soil. Height 5 ft .... 5c



BALSAM APPLE
AND PEAR. Very
rapid and dense
climbers, with
golden-yellow fruit
which opens when
ripe, showing the
seed and blod-red
inside. Mixed......5c

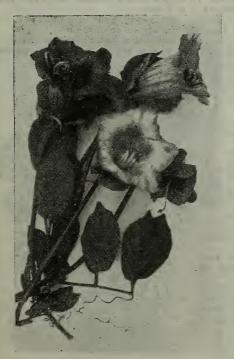
beautiful climber, with a profusion of scarlet or white star-shaped blossoms and finely cut foliage, adapted to ornamental work. 10 feet. Mixed......5c

CANARY BIRD FLOWER. A rapid growing, delicate

vine with clean, handsome foliage and an abundance of bright canary-yellow blossoms, somewhat resembling a bird with half extended wings. An excellent climber for shady places..5c COBAEA. A beautiful, rapid growing climber, with large purplish, bell-shaped flowers; plant the seeds edgewise, and cover lightly........5c

**GOURDS.** These are desirable for many places where an immense amount of vine is wanted quickly. Most sorts grow 20 or 30 feet in a season.

Dish Rag. Many ladies prefer a dish cloth made of the sponge-like lining of this gourd to anything else, as it is always sweet and clean as long as any part of it is left......5c



uninjured by cold or wet, therefore make the best nest eggs ..... Pear Shaped. Striped yellow and green.....5c Mixed Gourds. All of the above.....5c HUMULUS. (Japanese Hop.) A rapid growing climber of easy culture, leaves variegated. Sows itself after the first year..... MOON FLOWER. (Ipomea Noctiflora.) One of the most vigorous climbers. Will grow 30 feet; its large white flowers open evenings and cloudy The hard outer coat of the seed should be cut through with a knife, and planted in marked with most beautiful colors and shading. The vines are strong and robust, growing from 30 to 50 ft. high during the season.....5c



#### HUMULUS

Ideal ramblers that readily NASTURTIUMS. climb fences or wire netting. They are also very showy planted at the top of a steep slope, or simply trailing on the level ground. leaves Edward Otto. Brownish lilac..... Jupiter. Rich golden yellow ..... Mme. Gunther's Hybrids. Striped or blotched with shades of red, yellow and orange.....5c Pearl. (Moonlight.) Whitish.....5c Scarlet. Bright glowing red......5c Vesuvius. Brilliant salmon rose.....5c PASSION FLOWER. One of the best summer vines for general growing. The beautiful blue flowers somewhat resemble a water lily in shape WILD CUCUMBER. A very rapid climber, often growing 30 feet in one season. It is covered with clusters of white, sweet scented flowers, followed by ornamental prickly seed pods. It is fine to cover a trellis, old tree or unsightly building, and will sow itself after the first year. Oz., 15c; pkt., 5c.

SPECIAL NO. 16. For those who desire vines to cover long stretches of fence, etc., we have a mixture of 12 or more varieties of annual climbers 15c per ½ oz.; 25c per oz.



### PERENNIALS

When planted once they are always there. The varieties we list are perfectly hardy, the tops dying down in winter, but coming up again in the spring, the flowers becoming better as plants grow older.

### IRIS

These flowers have been overlooked. They are perfectly hardy and exceedingly beautiful. As they multiply with great rapidity, one does not have to expend a great sum in order to get a fine bed of them started. Put the Iris in a sunny place where, if possible, they will have some building or a hedge to protect them from the wind. The ground should be rich, and well supplied with water. Spade the earth deep and plant the roots 18 inches apart, covering them 2 inches. Keep them well cultivated and you will be well repaid for your trouble.

fiberian Blue. Probably the finest blue flower on earth. A real deep blue, not at all a purplish shade. The stems are long and as the flowers last a long time in water, they are excellent for cutting. 15c each, 6 for 50c; postpaid.

GERMAN IRIS. (See heading.). The Iris so commonly seen. Often called Flags. Blooms in great profusion during June and July.

SILVER QUEEN. White with a delicate blue edge.

GYPSY QUEEN. Yellow and brown, very showy.

LILAC. Palest blue ..

CREAM. A fine cream color. WHITE. Pure white.

BLUE. The common blue Iris. 15c each, 6 for 50c; postpaid.

### HARDY PHLOXES

These we consider the most desirable of all hardy perennials, flowering abundantly from July until late in the autumn. The immense flower heads often measure 7 inches across with flowers as large as a half dollar, and comprise all shades—vermillion to white. They delight in sunny location and rich soil, but are by no means particular. Height, 1 to 2 feet.

ALCESTE. Deep violet, shading almost to blue.

ATHIS. Deep, clear salmon. Some claim this to be the showiest variety in cultivation.

COQUELICOT. The finest and brightest red of all the Phlox, the color is a bright orange-scarlet. ESCLAIREUR. Clear, rosy-red, with lighter large center; large florets and a magnificent bedder.

HENRY MURGER. Enormous pure white flowers, with very large, showy, deep, carmine eye or center; fine florets and trusses.

KOSSUTH. Rich deep purple, extra fine.

LA PERLE DU NORD. Pure white; large, deep, distinct red eye; extra fine.

LOTHAIR. Clear, even carmine, deep crimson eye.

MACULATA. Tall branching, producing good sized heads of purplish rose flowers.

MISS LINGARD. Pearly-white flower, with a very faint pink eye; very remarkable bloomer, producing two or three crops of flowers during the season. Indispensable as a cut flower for florists' use.

The deepest, darkest, richest red with crimson NIOBE.

PANTHEON. Large, deep, clear, bright pink with faint halo: a charming variety.

PEACHBLOW. Delicate peachblow pink, shading to white, large trusses; elegant.

RICHARD WALLACE. Pure white, with violet-rose eye; large flowers in immense panicles. Too much cannot be said of this variety.

R. P. STRUTHEES. In our estimation the very best Phlox grown today—it has no faults. Color clear cherry-red, suffused with salmon shades; deep red eye; fine, large truss. The color is so clear and clean that each individual floret stands out as distinct as a cameo.

PRICE

Seed of Phlox. Mixed only, per pkt., 5c. All Plants. Each 15c; 6 for 80c; 12 for \$1.50; postpaid.



PHLOX

## Perennials and Biennials

In the following list we describe Biennials and Perennials which live in the garden and bloom the following year. While they do not bloom as quickly as Annuals, unless you buy the plants, they are worth waiting for. They embrace some of our most beautiful flowers, and many continue to give a fine display for years.



ACHILLEA. (The Pearl.) The finest of all plants for cemetery use. The plants grow about 15 to 20 in. high and are completely covered with dou-ble pure white flowers from July until frost. One plant will produce hundreds and sometimes thousands of blossoms the first season. Plants 15c each, 6 for 80c; postpaid.

ACONITUM. (Na ellus.) Grows (Nap



BLEEDING HEART

ARTEMESIA.

seed only ...

Canadensis. Red and yellow. Chrysanthemums. Golden yellow. All Aquilegia plants 12c each, 3 for 30c; postpaid

BELLIS. (Double English Daisy.) Very pretty for edgings. Blooms during the spring. Sow early in house, and transplant to a rich, par-tially shaded situation. Seed only. White and pink, mixed.

CAMPANULA. (Canterbury Bells.) Popular perennials producing bell-shaped flowers of many different colors. Mixed seed 5c. Plants, each.......15c CHRYSANTHEMUMS. Very popular for outdoor bedding purposes. They are quite hardy and with but a slight covering of leaves or coarse stable litter during the winter will take care of themselves after once planted, and produce an abundant profusion of bloom. Mixed seed profusion of bloom. Mixed seed ....

Climax. Deep rosy-pink.
Goldfinch. Magnificent; gold, shaded crimson.
Goldfiece. Large, bright, lemon yellow.

Clear, bright red.

Prince of Wales. Magnificent; pure white. Plants 15c each, 6 for 80c, 12 for \$1.50; postpaid.

COREOPSIS. (Lanceolata.) Giant flowering golden-yellow daisy-like flowers borne in the greatest profusion; invaluable for cuttings. Seed 5c. Plants 12c each, 3 for 30c; postpaid. DELPHINIUM. (Perennial Larkspur.) The best perennial knowu. The brilliant flower spikes are in every shade of blue. Blooms to June. continuing a long time if the flowers are cut before they fade. Hybridum. Mixed seed 5c. Hybridum.

Formorum. Plants 15c each, 6 for 80c; postpaid.

FEVERFEW. (Pyrethrum.) These are among the most charming of our hardy plants. Of the easiest culture. Flowers are aster-like in form. of the most beautiful coloring. Blooming throughout the summer. Seed 5c.

Plants 15c each, 6 for 80c; postpaid.

FORGET-ME-NOT. (Myosotis.) It flourishes best in a moist, shady situation. Bright blue. Seed only, 5c.

GAILLARDIA. (Grandiflora.) The perennial blanket flower. Perfectly hardy and requires little care. Seed 5c. Plants 15c each.
GYPSOPHILA. (Paniculta.) (Baby's Breath.) Produces numerous panicles of small white flowers; fine for bouquets. Seed only, 5c.



CARNATION

CARNATIONS. Popular favorites, which are deliciously fragrant; colors extremely rich and beautiful, if protected will live out over winter. double red flowers there is no outdoor carnation double red nowers that can equal it.

White Grenadin. Of good form and substance.

Like the above except color. Seed 5c. Plants of all carnations

each ......15c

DAISY, GIANT
SHASTA. (See
on Cover.) A
hardy perennial
blooming for
several months, and more abundantly each season. The flowers antiy each season. The flowers are extremely large and graceful, center is yellow, and the petals are pure white. The cut flowers placed in water will keep for a week. Seed 10c. Plants 15c each, 6 for 80c; postpaid.

DIGITALIS. (Fox Glove.) (See on Cover.) An old-fashioned plant fashloned plant that furnishes a grand display of thimble-shaped flowers in immense spikes during July and August.

Gloxiniae flora. (Alba.) White, very fine, also purple, rose and mixed.
Mixed seed 5c,

Plants in named colors 15c each, 6 for 80c; post-





DIANTHUS

HIBISCUS. (Crimson Eye.) Tall, free flowering, hardy plants with remarkable large and showy flowers. Thrives in most loamy soils, produc-ing throughout a long period numerous mam-moth flowers, sometimes 6 to 8 inches across. Plants grow 3 to 5 feet tall. Golden Bowl or Giant Yellow. Deep cream with

Moscheutos. Flowers light rosy red with dark centers. Plants 15c each, 6 for 80c; postpaid.

Double. Pink, blood-red, pale yellow and white, Seed



FOX GLOVE OR DIGATALIS



DAISY, GIANT SHASTA



LATHYRUS. (Perennial Peas.) Free flowering plants, growing five to ten feet high if given support. Will not bear transplanting. White and lilac, mixed. seed only....

LYCHNIS. (Burning Star.) Chalcedonica. Showy and free flowering hardy perennials of easy culture. Verbena-like heads of bright scarlet flowers. seed 5c Plants 15c each.

MINT. Old-fashioued mint. Clumps 10c each, 3 for 25c; postpaid.

PENSTEMON. Flowers bell-shaped, an inch and a half long, borne in racemes or spikes. The roots should have some protection in winter. Seed only 5c

PINKS. See Carnation, Page 48; Dianthus, Page 48. PLATYCONDON. Splendid variety, producing very showy flowers during the whole season. Form large clumps. Are excellent for planting for permanent borders. Color blue. Plants 15c each.

POPPY. (Oriental.) Large, gorgeous. scarlet blossoms; bottom of petals black; one of the showiest of hardy perennials, producing flowers 6 inches and over in diameter very early. Seed 5c, plants 12c each.

RIBBON GRASS. Deep green foliage, broadly striped lengthwise of the leaf. Pure white, very handsome, Plants only, 15c each, 6 for 80c; postpaid.

RUDBECKIA. (Golden Glow.) A hardy perennial plant, growing 8 feet high, branching freely and bearing on large graceful stems hundreds of exquisite double blossoms of the brightest golden color, and as large as Cactus Dahlias. Plants only, 10c each, 3 for 25c; postpaid.

STOKESIA CY-ANEA. (Cornflower Aster.) A hardy perennial, bearing handsome lavender blue cornflow-er-like blossoms. Height 2 feet. Plants 15c each. Seed .....10c



SWEET WILLIAM

WEET ROCKET. (Hesperis.) Sometimes called Dame's Violet. Produces clusters of pink and white four-petaled flowers which are very fragrant during the evening. It grows readily in the open ground. 1½ feet high. Seeds only..................................5c SWEET ROCKET.

WEET WILLIAM. (Dianthus Barbatus.) The plants when in flower are 18 inches in height and produce large clusters of brilliantly colored flowers on stout, stiff stems. Sow seed in drills early in spring. When well started, thin out, or transplant. SWEET WILLIAM.

Single. Mixed...... Double. Mixed..... 

Double Mixed Plants each 15c

## **PEONIES**



Perfectly hardy, large, bush-like plants with great flowers rivaling the rose in color and perfection of bloom; pleasantly fragrant. In bloom fection of bloom, pleasantly fragitat. In bloom for Decoration Day.

ANDRE LAURIES. Light red, prolific and beautiful. Each, postpaid, 30c.

LA SUBLIME. A very striking flower of a deep

rich crimson color. A sure bloomer. 40c each; postpaid.

postpand.
L'ESPERENCE. Very early, a great favorite, rosy pink, free flowering. 30c each; postpaid.
QUEEN VICTORIA. Early, choice standard white. 30c each; postpaid.
GRANDIFLORA ROSEA. Very fine, fragrant rose pink. One of the hardiest and independent to late hard frosts. 30c each; postpaid.
HUMEI. Immense late cinnamon scented flower

UMEI. Immense late cinnamon scented flower of varnished pink. 30c each; postpaid.

Blaine Co., Nebr., Apr. 26, 1912.

I received the roses all O. K. and thank you ever so much for them. We the they are all O. K. and will grow nicely. FRED SCHIPPOREIT.

Summer Flowering Bulbs

Plant in deep, rich soil, when the ground becomes warm. For earliest flowering the tender bulbs may be started in the house. For succession of bloom, plant up to June 1st. After fall frost, lift the bulbs, let them dry, and then removing the tops, store in a cool, dry place, away from frost, for planting in the spring. CANNA



The most popular decorative plant of the day. The earth should be spaded deeply and well enriched. After planting water sparingly until the plants have taken root and show good leaf growth. When in full foliage they may be watered very freely.

We are making a specialty of Cannas and you will find our plants extra fine and the blooms of very beautiful colorings.

ALLEMANIA. Scarlet orange bordered with yellow; 6 feet.

6 feet

ALPHONSE BOUVIER. Richest red; showy variety.

BEAUTE POINTEVINE. A rich glowing crimson.

2½ feet.
BURBANK. Immense flowers of a rich yellow. 3½ ft.
EGENDALE. Bronze foliage, flowers deep red. 4½ ft.
ELIZABETH HOSS. Large yellow spotted with red. 5 feet.

EVOLUTION. Bronze foliage with flowers cream white, shading of light salmon, the most rare kind. 4 feet. Started plants only 25c each; \$2.50 per doz; postpaid. FLORENCE VAUGHAN. Pure yellow dotted with red. 5 feet.

5 feet.
FREDERIC BENARY. Currant with orange throat and yellow edge. 5 feet.
KING HUMBERT. Giant flowered; orange scarlet; bronze leaf. 4 feet.
MADAME CROZY. Crimson scarlet with yellow border. 3½ feet.
MME. BERAT. Large flower of a soft rosy carmine, nearly pink, six feet high.
QUEEN CHARLOTTE. Rich crimson with band of yellow. 4 feet.

PRICES

KING HUMBERT. Dormant Roots 8c each, 75c dozen; postpaid. By express 65c per dozen; \$5.00 per 100.

EVOLUTION. Started Plants only 25c each, \$2.50 dozen; postpaid.

All Other Cannas

Dormant Roots Sc each, 75c per dozen; postpaid. By express, 65c per dozen; \$5.00 per 100.

Started plants ready May 10th, 10c each, \$1.00 per dozen; postpaid. By express, 85c per dozen; \$6.50 per 100.

## DAHLIAS

Large, symmetrical double flowers, having broad velvet petals, incurving at the center. Bloom from August to freezing weather.

#### CACTUS VARIETIES

COLONEL OAKS. Dark maroon shading to vio-

NEDRA. A soft, mauve pink; a unique color in the Dahlia family and one hard to describe. SPOTLESS QUEEN. Purest white, an excellent variety for cutting purposes.

STANDARD BEARER. Rich fiery scarlet, one of

the very best.
NOW. A beautiful pure white.

DECORATIVE VARIETIES

AMERGERONE. A very large flower, deep plum

purple.

EUGENT TEELE. A very fine deep scarlet, produced on long stems, valuable for cutting.

FLORA. Very large, pure white; early and profuse bloomer with long stems.

JACK ROSE. In color it resembles the Jacqueminot rose. Profuse bloomer and splendid for

MAID OF KENT. A very striking variety. Rich cherry red, tipped white.

MRS. HARTONG. Color light fawn suffused with pink.

SYLVIA. A beautiful deep nice.

to the center.

SHOW VARIETIES (See Cut)
D. LIVONI. Rich pink, finely formed; a very

handsome flower.

ARABELLA. Very large and beautiful. Color soft primrose shaded with rose.

GLENCO. Ball-like in form, of bright scarlet.

Especially good for cutting.

(Balance of Dahlias and Prices on next page)



DAHLIA

## SUMMER FLOWERING BULBS—Continued



#### **DAHLIAS-Continued**

LUCY FAWCETT. Sulphur yellow streaked and

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MISS DODD. Large, pure canary yellow.

PURPLE GEM. Rich royal purple, clear and constant. This variety is a decided improvement over the old varieties.

QUEEN VICTORIA. Large, rich golden yellow.

RED HUSSAR. Richest cardinal red, with long stems. Splendid for cutting.

VARNUM'S VARIGATED. Bright red, tipped with white.

PRICE ALL DAHLIAS

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Any of the above named Dahlias 20c each; \$2.00 per dozen; postpaid, 15c each, \$1.65 dozen

express

wixed Dahlias. Including some of the above varieties 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.
Dahlia Seed. Single, 5c pkt.; double, 5c pkt.
CALADIUM ESCULENTUM, (Elephant's Ear.)
Fine tropical plant bearing immense leaves.

Fine tropical plant bearing immense leaves.
Start as directed for cannas, when growing you cannot make the soil too rich or keep it too wet. 15c each; 2 for 25c; postpaid.

CINNAMON VINE. A vine of very rapid growth, quickly covering trellis with a handsome, clean, glossy green foliage. Plant the bulbs about 1 inch deep in rich soil. With the approach of winter cover with straw and leaves to prevent freezing. 3 bulbs for 15c; 6 for 25c; postpaid.

KUDZU VINE. (Jack-and-the-Bean-Stalk.) A most remarkable hardy climber. Starts slow, but in a few weeks grows almost beyond belief. Foliage dark green. Fine for porches and arbors. Roots, small, 13c each; 3 for 40c; postpaid. Large roots, 25c each, by express.

MADERIA VINE. A rapid climber, twining to great heights. Thick, glossy leaves and feathery, very fragrant white flowers. It grows anywhere, but does better in a warm, sunny location. It is also very pretty for training in the house. Strong tubers, 5c each; 3 for 10c; 30c per doz.; postpaid.

MATRIMONY VINE. Well known, hardy, fast growing vine; handsome when covered with scarlet

MATRIMONY VINE. Well known, hardy, fast growing vine; handsome when covered with scarlet fruit in Autumn. Plants, 35c each; postpaid. OXALIS. Summer-blooming. A very pretty plant for edging bower beds. Bears an abundance of pink and white flowers and delicate foliage. 15c per dozen; postpaid.

TUBEROSE. A beautiful, white, wax-like, very sweet-scented, double flower, growing on tall stems. 5c each; 40c per dozen; postpaid.



## GLADIOLIUS

This is one of the best of the summer-flowering bulbs. It is a flower anyone can grow and is lovely enough to satisfy the most exacting. The flowering season may be continued by planting from middle of April to the first of June. There is no limit to the range of color. Nothing is finer for vases; the flowers will last for days and the buds open after being cut. Set the bulbs 6 inches apart, and 2 to 4 inches deep. For fall treatment, see under "Summer Flowering Bulbs," page 50.

BRENCHLEYENSIS. Intense scarlet; fine. 3c each; 25c dozen. AUGUSTA. Lovely, pure white, blue anthers. 5c each; 50c dozen. "1990." Brilliant red, white blotch. 4c each; 35c dozen.

YELLOW SHADES. 5c each; 50c dozen.

MADAME MONNERET. A beautiful pink. 3c each; 25c dozen.

MAY. White, flanked crimson, superb spike. 3c each; 25c dozen.

GOFF'S HYBRIDS. The size and beautiful shadings of this strain give the greatest possible range of varieties. 5c each, 6 for 25c; 40c dozen; postpaid.

CHILDSI, FINE MIXED. All colors and varieties. Every one a beauty. 5c each; 40c dozen; postpaid.

GOOD MIXED. Especially recommended to make a good brilliant show in the garden for a small outlay. All bloomers. 3c each, 4 for 10c, 25c dozen; postpaid. 50 for 75c, 100 for \$1.00, by express at buyer's expense.



In September of each year, we import from Holland, a large shipment of Fall Bulbs. These should be planted any time from the middle of September until the ground freezes. This list includes Tulips, Hyacinths, Narcissus, Crocus, Jonquils, Scillas, Chionodoxas, for outdoor planting. Roman Hyacinths, Freeslas, Chinese Sacred Lillies, Easter Lilies, Callas and Oxalis, for planting in the house.

We issue our Fall catalog about the middle of August. If you do not receive a copy by the first of September, let us know.



### HARDY LILIES

Lilies thrive best in a dry, rich soil, where water will not stand in the winter. After planting they require very little care, and should not be disturbed for years, as established plants bloom more freely than if taken up annually. In this list we offer only such varieties as are hardy enough to stand the winter out of doors. It is well, however, to protect them with a covering of litter or straw.

LILY OF THE VALLEY. Bearing slender stems set with tiny white bells, delightfully fragrant; do well in shady situations. Flower each season without any attention. 6c each; 3 for 15c; 40c per dozen; postpaid.

AURATUM. (Gold-banded.) Immense white flowers, thickly spotted with crimson, each petal having a distinct yellow stripe; very fragrant. Blooms in July. 15c each; 3 for 40c; postpaid.

ELEGANS. Perfectly hardy and will succeed in almost any situa-tion. Flowers large and showy; bright red, flushed orange. 1½ feet. Blooms in June and July. 12c each; \$1.25 per dozen; postpaid.

FUNKIA ALBA. (White Day Lily.) A handsome, showy plant with beautiful broad ovate leaves. The large, lily-like, pure white, fragrant flowers are borne in large trusses during August. 20c each; 3 for 50c; postpaid.

HEMEROCALLIS FLAVA. (Lemon Lily.) Flower large, pure yellow; quite fragrant. Grows 2½ to 3 feet high. Blooms in July and August. 15c each; 3 for 40c; postpaid.



SPECIOSUM RUBRUM. White, beautifully spotted with red; petals reflexed like the Tiger Lily. Very fragrant; flowers in August. This is one of the most useful lilies, perfectly hardy and flowering well under all circumstances. 20c each; 3 for 50c; postpaid.

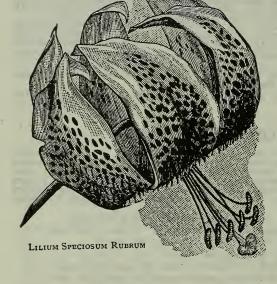
SPECIOSUM ALBUM. Same as the above, but pure white. 20c each; 3 for 50c; postpaid.

SUPERBUM. Flowers bright orange red. thickly spotted with purple. Remarkable for immense height (often 8 feet) and profusion of bloom; a strong plant, bearing from 20 to 30 flowers. Blooms in July. 12c each; \$1.25 per dozen;

TIGRINUM SPLENDENS. The well-known "Tiger Lily," grows from 7 to 9 feet high and bears an immense number of bright orange flowers spotted with black. Blooms in August. Single or double, 10c each; \$1.00 per dozen; postpaid.

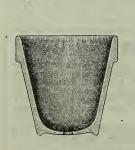
WALLACEI. Flower rich, clear buff, spotted black, late bloomer. 10c each; \$1.00 per dozen; postpaid.

MBELLATUM. A splendid hardy Lily, and should be found in every garden. Colors range from deepest red to yellow. Blooms in June. UMBELLATUM. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen; postpaid.



### STANDARD FLOWER POTS AND SAUCERS

We pack these carefully, but will not be responsible for breakage in transit by express.



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			POT		
,			Each	Doz.	100
	2	in.	\$0.02	\$0.12	\$0.80
	3	in.	.03	.20	1.25
	1	in.	.04	.35	1.85
	5	in.	.05	.50	3.65
	6	in.	.06	.65	4.50
		in.	.10	1.10	
5	3	in.	.15	1.50	

#### SAUCERS

	Each	Doz.	100
4 in.	\$0.03	\$0.25	\$1.50
5 in.	.04	.35	2.00
6 in.	.05	.45	
7 in.	.06	.60	4.00
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## **BEDDING AND HOUSE PLANTS**

CAN BE SUPPLIED UP TO ABOUT JUNE 1ST

The size of plants furnished by us are, in all instances, as large as can be advantageously forwarded by mail, and are strong, thrifty, well established stock.

#### **ACHYRANTHUS**

LINDENNI. Long lance-shaped leaves of a deep blood red. 10c each; 3 for 25c; postpaid.

CARNATION

ENCHANTRESS. Large, shell pink. 12c each. HARLOWARDEN. Large, free blooming, crim-

son. 12c each.

The Premier Quartette of Carnations.
Four for 50c; or 15c each; postpaid.

BEACON. Best red.
ENCHANTRESS. Best pink.
JAS. WHITCOMB RILEY. Best yellow.
WHITE ENCHANTRESS. Best white.

#### COLEUS

FIREBRAND. Maroon shaded with red.
GOLDEN BEDDER. Rich golden yellow.
QUEEN OF THE WEST. Large leaf covered
with spots of bright carmine and deep maroon and margin of bright yellow.
VERSCHAFFELTII. Rich red; fine bedder,
All 12c each; 4 for 40c; postpaid.

#### **FERNS**

ASPARAGUS PLUMOSUS. The fine-leaved variety used so much in cut flower work. 12c each; 3 for 30c; postpaid.

ASPARAGUS SPRINGERI. Drooping variety, very nice for hanging baskets. 12c each; 3 for 30c; postpaid.

BOSTON. The well known variety so often seen. 12c each; 3 for 30c; postpaid.

HARDY FERNS. Live outdoors all winter. 20c each; \$2.00 per dozen; postpaid.

#### MISCELLANEOUS BEDDING PLANTS

MISCELLANEOUS BEDDING PLANTS
ASTERS. One of the most popular of all the garden flowers for late summer and fall display. Mixed colors. 50c per dozen; postpaid.
ORIENTAL POPPIES. Large, gorgeous, scarlet blossoms; bottom of petals black; one of the showlest of hardy perennials, producing flowers six inches and over in diameter very early. 10c each; \$1.00 per dozen; postpaid.
PANSIES. (Griswold's Mammoth Special.) Flowers are very large. The colors are rich red, chocolate and purple shades, mottled and spotted. 50c per dozen; postpaid.

PETUNIAS. Petunias are very popular for their rich coloring, continuation of bloom, pleasing fragrance and easy culture. Mixed colors. 50c per dozen.

per dozen.



SALVIA. Among the most brilliantly colored of garden flowers and extremely useful for bedding. Blooms are borne in long spikes, fieryred and continues in bloom until severe frosts. 50c per dozen; postpaid.

ERBENAS. For beds or massing the verbena is unrivalled, flowers the most brilliant colors. VERBENAS. Mixed. 50c per dozen; postpaid.

ZINNIA. Flowers all summer, making the most brilliant display possible, excellent for border or summer hedge. Mixed colors. 50c per dozen; postpaid.

#### GERANIUMS

BEAUTE POINTEVINE. Bright, double, salmon BERTHA DE PRESILY. Beautiful silvery-rose

CONTRAST. Double. dark, red, free bloomer, dwarf. GENERAL GRANT. Double scarlet, vigorous grower, free-

GILLIFLOWER. Best single scarlet.

JEAN VIAUD. Bright. rosy-pink, white blotch in center.

LA FAVORITE. Double, pure white, the best white.

MRS. E. G. HILL. Single, large, salmon-pink.

S. A. NUTT. Double, dark crimson, free bloomer.

SUPERB. A beautiful, immense, double scarlet. Strong

grower and free bloomer.

IVY GERANIUMS Double Pink

### ROSE GERANIUMS

OSE MONSTROSA. scented rose-geranium. The well-known rose-geranium.

SKELETON. Finely serrated leaf, scented.

#### BORDER GERANIUMS

MLLE SALIEROI. A dwarf, compact, growing geranium, with small white and green leaves; fine for bordering.

Price of all geraniums 12c each; \$1.20 per dozen; postpaid.

RUBBER SPRINKLER With bent neck ......



GERANIUM

NOTE: The "large" Roses are 2-year-old; "small," 1-year-old.

## ROSES

Order in spring, not later than June 1st

To obtain the most satisfactory results, roses should be planted in well drained, rich, deep loamy soil, and given a location where they will have sunlight and a circulation of air. For winter protection an application of composite or rotten manure should be given them in the late autumn, and spaded into the ground the following spring.

Hardy Hybrid Perpetual Roses

ANNOUNCEMENT

To Our Patrons: To satisfy a particular and ever increasing demand for 2-year-old roses we have been forced to erect several more large greenhouses for the exclusive propagation and growing of large quantities of roses and house plants.

We propogate and grow all of our roses and the varieties listed are all tried and true to name. Our roses are grown in the field two years, and with the exception of Ramblers, are taken up in the Fall, held dormant until towards Spring and then started in large 4-inch pots. When shipped to you they are in bud and bloom, with a ball of dirt on the roots which is wrapped with moss, paper and burlap and shipped by express at your expense, or by mail for 10c more. They should reach you in the finest condition. We propogate and grow all of

#### NOTICE

NOTICE

If the plants look wilted when received put them in lukewarm water for 15 or 20 minutes. Set the plants about 2½ inches deeper than they were growing before and press the soil firmly around the roots. Give them a good watering. Shade from sun and wind until they begin to grow.

GEN. JACQUEMINOT. A grand old rose which everyone

en. Jacqueminot. A grand old rose which everyone knows at least by name and reputation. Rich, crimson scarlet in color and especially handsome in the bud. Although introduced uearly fifty years ago, it is still unrivalled in popularity and of great value for garden planting. Small 15c each; 3 for 40c; large 55c each; postpaid. By express, 35c.



WHITE AMERICAN BEAUTY

PRINCE CAMILLE DE ROHAN... One of the darkest colored roses. Very dark velvety crimson, changing to intense maroon. A very prolific bloomer, and blooms are of excellent form and size. Small 15c each, 3 for 40c; large 45c; postpaid. By express, 35c.



Flowers are pure white, very large and double; it is a profuse and continuous bloomer. Good white hardy roses are scarce—this is one of the very best. Should never be pruned except to remove old or scraggy branches. Small 15c each, 3 for 40c; large 45c each; postpaid. By express, 35c.

PAUL NEYRON. The largest of all rose blooms, bright shining pink, clear and beautiful; very double and full; finely scented; blooms first season and all summer. Grows to a great height in a single season and stems are almost thornless. Small 15c each; large 50c; postpaid. By express, 40c.

AFRANO. Bright apricot-yellow, changing to orange-fawn, reverse of petals tinted with flesh pink; splendid buds and fine star-shaped flowers, vigorous, productive and fragrant, constant bloomer. Small 12c each; large 45c; postpaid. By express, 35c.

WHITE AMERICAN BEAUTY. Extraordinarily strong growing, branching freely, with the vigor and hardiness of an oak. An ordinary plant will produce hundreds of magnificent flowers, which are full, very deep and double and of splendid substance. Petals broad and long. The buds are egg-shaped, long and pointed. The color is marvelous, snow-white, without a tinge of yellow, pink or any other color. If you want the best and hardiest white rose in cultivation, this variety will meet your every want. Small 16c each; large 50c each; postpaid. By express, 40c.

PAPA GONTIER. Extra large, finely formed buds and flowers; strong, robust grower; constant bloomer; rich rosy red; very full and sweet. Small 12c each; large 45c each; postpaid. By express, 35c.

AMERICAN BEAUTY. Well known as one of the grandest and most beautiful constant-blooming roses; immense buds and flowers, rich glowing crimson, exceedingly sweet. Small 16c each; large 50c each; postpaid. By express, 40c.

## Choice Standard Ever-Blooming Tea and Hybrid Tea Roses

SUNBURST. A magnificent new giant yellow rose standing head and shoulders above all other sorts of its color. Extraordinarily vigorous and healthy. The buds are long, pointed and of a beautiful golden-orange to golden-yellow with intense shades, extremely brilliant in effect. Large only, \$1.10. By express, \$1.00.

SOUVENIR DE PRESIDENT CARNOT. A rose of extraordinary beauty; the color is lovely sea shell pink, delicately tinted with golden-fawn on rich creamy-white. Only large, 45c each; postpaid. By express, 35c.

CHERRY RIPE. An extraordinarily free-flowering Hybrid, branching in habit, vigorous and hardy, and as free as a Tea Rose. The flowers are medium in size, well formed, globular, light rosycrimson; as fragrant as the Hybrid Perpetuals. Large size only, 45c; postpaid. By express, 35c.

GRUSS AN TEPLITZ. Succeeds under the most ordinary conditions. In color it is of the richest scarlet, shading to velvety crimson; a free, strong grower, quite hardy and a most profuse bloomer all summer. Foliage very beautiful. Small 12c each, 3 for 30c; large 45c each; postpaid. By express, 35c.

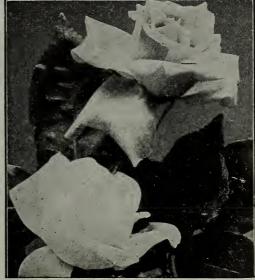
J. B. CLARK. The glory of the plant is its flowers. They are extraordinary in size; the half open bud full and elongated, with a high pointed center. The color is new—intense deep scarlet, heavily shaded blackish, crimson like the sheen on a plum, giving the expanded flower an indescribably beautiful appearance. Fragrance intensely sweet. Small 15c, 2 for 25c; large 50c each; postpaid. By express, 40c.

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ETOILE DE FRANCE. Color, superb, velvety crimson with a vivid bright pink center. Buds are long and pointed, borne singly and erect, flowers very large, valuable for cutting. Small 12c each, 3 for 32c; large 45c each; postpaid. By express, 35c.

ETOILE DE LYON. This magnificent Tea Rose is a rich golden yellow; a strong, healthy and vigorous grower, immense bloomer. Will withstand very well, both heat and cold. Small 12c each, 3 for 30c; large 45c each; postpaid. By express, 35c.

GOLDEN GATE. Rich, creamy white, beautifully tinged with golden yellow and rose; a constant



WHITE MAMAN COCHET

bloomer, large, very double Small 12c each; large 45c each. By express, 35c.

KAISERIN AUGUSTA VICTORIA. Color, pure, snowy white; a continuous bloomer, producing successive crops of buds and flowers in greatest profusion. Buds and blossoms are beautiful and fragrant. Small 12c; large 45c; postpaid. By express, 35c.

METEOR. Remarkable for its large size, constant bloom and brilliant color; bright. rich, velvety crimson, and a most constant and abundant bloomer. Small 12c each; large 45c each; postpaid. By express, 35c.

MADAME JENNY GUILLIMOT. Buds long and pointed, deep saffron-yellow, opening canary, with dark golden shadings; blooms large, petals immense; exquisitely beautiful. Large 45c each; postpaid. By express, 35c.

MY MARYLAND. Salmon pink of a soft and pleasing shade, with long stems and long pointed buds, very full in bloom and exquisitely fragrant. Large only, 50c; postpaid. By express, 40c.

KILLARNEY. There is no rose we know in this class that blooms more freely than Killarney and the large size of the flowers and substance of petals are remarkable, petals measuring 2½ inches deep. The buds are large, long and pointed. The color is exquisite, a brilliant imperial pink, almost sparkling and beautiful beyond description. Small 12c each; large 50c each; postpaid. By express, 40c.

WHITE KILLARNEY. A pure white sort from the pink parent above described. Identical with the pink variety except in color. Small 15c each; large 50c; postpaid. By express, 40c.

DOUBLE WHITE KILLARNEY. Splendid new double white rose possessing all the good features of its pink parent, with a stronger growth and more petals. Only large, \$1.10; postpaid. By express, \$1.90.

MAMAN COCHET. This superb rose is well known as the queen among roses and one of the best and most beautiful varieties ever grown and quite hardy. The flowers are of enormous size, very full and of great depth and substance. Color, rich, coral pink, elegantly shaded with rosy crimson, has broad, thick, shell-like petals and makes superb long pointed buds, immense bloomer, continues loaded with buds and flowers the whole season. Deliciously sweet and a hardy, vigorous grower. Small 12c each; large 50c each; postpaid. By express, 40c.

WHITE MAMAN COCHET. Identical with its parent Maman Cochet in everything except color, which is snow white, with sometimes a tinge of pale blush. It has the same freedom of bloom and same magnificent form of buds and flowers, and the same hardiness. Standing at the very head of all white roses for open grown culture. Very vigorous and hardy nearly everywhere. Small 12c each; large, 50c each; postpaid. By express, 40c.



KILLARNEY

### THE THREE SOUPERT ROSES 3 FOR 32c POSTPAID

Hardy. Bloom continuously. Will be a Source of Constant Pleasure.
In Ordering Give Simply the Name of the Collection

If you want Roses that will give you absolute satisfaction from the day they are planted, we would urge that you plant these famous varieties. They bloom the first and every year from early May until severe freezing weather. We have seen them unfold perfect flowers even after a severe snow storm. Of dwarf, stocky, uniform growth, they possess valuable qualities found in no other Roses. There are other Roses as good, but certainly none better. Be sure to try them.

Rose known for bedding or pot culture. Color a French white, deepening to a rosy-blush in the center, exceeding in distinctness of shading the well-known Malmaison. Its greatest value lies in its compact, vigorous habit and wonderful profusion of bloom, even the smallest plants being literally covered with flowers. The form and substance of the flowers are so perfect that the hottest weather does not cause deterioration of either,



Roses in the House. Small 12c each; large 45c each; postpaid. By express, 35c.

MOSELLA. (Yellow Soupert.) Fully as free blooming as Clothilde Soupert or Pink Soupert, and like them, a strong, dwarf, bushy grower. Flowers are very double and of the same Camellia-like form as Clothilde Soupert. Buds exceedingly dainty and attractive. The color is white on beautiful light yellow ground, which becomes a chrome yellow in the center of the flower. Hardy, without protection as far north as New York City, and if protected during the winter with a mulch of leaves or straw it can be grown almost anywhere that other roses succeed. Small only, 12c each.

PINK SOUPERT. A lovely ever-blooming rose, as beautiful as Clothilde Soupert, but deeper color; medium size flowers, perfectly full and double; blooms all the time; color, fine rose pink, but variable. The same bush frequently bears flowers of different colors at the same time; grows low and bushy and is quite hardy. Small 12c each; large 45c each; postpaid. By express, 35c.

### TWO ROSE SPECIALS

#### WEDDING BELLS COLLECTION One of each for 32c; postpaid

THE BRIDE. (White Tea Rose.) Flowers very large on long, stiff stems. They last a long time after being cut, making it one of the best for bouquets. Some times a pinkish white in very hot weather but usually a pure white. Small 12c each; large 45c each; postpaid. By express 35c.

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BRIDESMAID. (Pink Tea Rose.) A clear, shining pink, on long strong stems. Lasts a long time after cutting. A very fitting companion to the above. Small 12c each; large 45c each; postpaid. By express 35c.

RICHMOND. (The Everblooming Gen. Jacqueminot.) It is free blooming, and its scarletcrimson flowers are borne on fine, long stems, which make it especially valuable for cutting purposes. It comes to perfection without special care or culture. Produce freely throughout the year. long. pointed buds on tall, straight stems with elegant dark foliage. Has as delicious fragrance as American Beauty. Small 12c each; large 45c each; postpaid. By express, 35c.

#### THE "TRIPLETS" COLLECTION One of each for 40c; postpaid

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BABY RAMBLER. (Crimson.) Possesses all the charming, brilliant red color of the Crimson Rambler, only it is dwarf and everblooming. Begins blooming when only a few inches high. A plant in a 5 or 6 inch pot is a thing of beauty. Also an excellent bedder, forming clusters of flowers as large as the Crimson Rambler. Small 12c each; large 45c each; postpaid. By express, 35c.

BABY DOROTHY. A splendid companion to the crimson Baby Rambler; is just as vigorous and

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postpaid.

#### **MOSS ROSES**

Moss roses are strong, vigorous growers, perfectly hardy and like rich ground. Both flowers and buds have an abundance of lovely deep green moss; very free flowering.

BLANCHE MORREAU. Flowers in clusters, and are large, full and sweet, pure white.

PRINCESS ADELAIDE. One of the best; extra large flowers; color bright rosy pink.

CRIMSON GLOBE. A fine deep crimson.

Price of Moss Roses. Small, 15c each; three (one of each) for 40c.



## HARDY CLIMBING ROSES

Orders for Roses in this list should reach us by April 15 at the latest.

BLUE RAMBLER. Veilchen-blau. (Violet Blue.) For years it has been the endeavor of rosarians to produce the blue rose, and their efforts have at last succeeded in the produc-tion of Veilchenblau. The semi-double dowers come in clusters similar to the Crimson Rambler. When first open, they are partly bright red, partly bright rose but soon change to a steel blue. soon change to a steel blue. It is a hardy, vigorous grower and is not troubled by mildew. Small 15c each, 3 for 40c; large 55c each; postpaid. By express, 50c.

CRIMSON RAMBLER. It is a vigorous grower, making a gorgeous display of brilliant crimson clusters of blossons, each cluster a bouguet in it-

BLUE RAMBLER

BL 30c; large 40c each; postpaid. By express, 35c.

EVERBLOOMING CRIMSON RAMBLER. (Flower of Fairfield.) The
Flower of Fairfield is in form and
color like the ordinary Crimson Rambler. It begins blooming early in srping
and continues to produce repeated
crops of bloom until late in autumn.
This rose is not only good for covering trellises but is excellent for cutting. Small 15c each, 3 for 40; large
55c each; postpaid. By express, 50c.
LADY GAY. Flowers are deep, clear
rich rose pink; immense trusses like
Crimson Rambler. Healthy, hardy and
very rapid grower. Large size only,
40c; postpaid. By express, 35c.
PHLDELPHIA RAMBLER. Blooms
two weeks earlier than the Crimson
Rambler. Flowers are perfectly
double, borne in large clusters, completely covering the bush. Small 12c
each, 3 for 30c; large 40c; postpaid.
By express, 35c.

TAUSENDSCHON. (Thousand Beauties.) The flowers appear in large
clusters from the beginning of June

By express, 35c.

TAUSENDSCHON. (Thousand Beauties.) The flowers appear in large clusters from the beginning of June to the end of July. The color is a soft pink changing to a rosy carmine. Small 15c each, 3 for 36c; large 40c; postpaid. By express, 35c.

THALIA. (White Rambler.) Produces immense clusters of pure white roses; perfectly double, of delightful fragrance. Large size only 40c; postpaid. By express, 35c.

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HARDY WHITE MEMORIAL ROSE, WICHURAINA. Will creep all over the ground or can be trained up to a trellis. Hardy as grass, and will grow in sun or shade, poor ground or rich. Needs no protection, will care for itself and bloom profusely every season, without attention. The flowers are single and very large, pure satiny white, with bright golden center. Borne in clusters. Small 12c each, 3 for 30c; large 40c each; postpaid. By for 30c; large 40c each; postpaid. By express, 35c.



FLOWER OF FAIRFIELD



#### PRIVET

Amoor River. Much hardier than any other. Stood last winter without killing. The foliage is glossy green, holding its color almost the entire year. Will stand any kind of shearing. Price, 18 to 24 inches, well branched, \$1.00 per 10; \$8.00 per 100, by express.

California. (Lingustrum.) No plant has come more rapidly and deservedly into public favor as a hedge. Is of vigorous growth, has glossy dark green foliage, keeping its color until after Christmas. Almost evergreen, 40c per 10; \$3.50 per 100, by express.

FLOWERING CURRANT. An attractive shrug with fragrant golden-yellow flowers and deep scarlet fruit. 40c each, by express.



## Ornamental Shrubs

We pay all express charges on orders amounting to \$5.00 or more.

There is nothing which so quickly, and for so little cost, adds so much to the beauty, cheerfulness and home-like appearance of a place as an assortment of hardy shrubs. They are permanent improvements which increases in size, value and beauty, year after year. Our price is for strong, healthy, field grown plants, 3 year old and 4 to 5 feet high.

BARBERRY. (B. Thunbergii.) From Japan; of dwarf habit, small foliage, changing to a beautiful coppery red in the fall; is very ornamental when used as a hedge. 60c per 10; \$5.00 per 100, by express.

Purple Leaved. (B. Vulgaris.) Grows three to five feet high; foliage and fruit violet purple; very effective in groups or masses; yellow blossoms. 90c per 10; \$8.00 per 100 by express.



SIBERIAN DOGWOOD. (Cornus.) A very brilliant shrub in early spring, when the bark is intensely colored. Free growing, 6 to 10 feet tall, and very hardy; forms a small, handsome tree in some situations; its clusters of small, white flowers in early summer are very dainty, and its bark is a showy red in winter. In early fall it bears a profusion of whitish blue berries, making it distinctly ornamental after the flowers have gone. 50c each, by express.

DEUTZIA, PRIDE OF, ROCHESTER. The large Flowered Deutzia. A vigorous grower, profuse bloomer, and one of the earliest to come into bloom. Flowers large double white, slightly tinged with rose. The plant grows 3 to 4 feet tall. Desirable for groups and as a specimen plant on the lawn. 50c each, by express.

men plant on the lawn. 50c each, by express. FLOWERING ALMONDS. (Prunus.) The Flowering Almonds are pretty dwarf bushes that bloom quite early and are very showy in spring. Their slender, leafless, upright branches are entirely hidden by stemless, very double flowers resembling small roses. Grows to a height of 4 to 5 feet and blooms in May. One of the best flowering shrubs and can be highly recommended for the Western states. Pink or White, 50c each, by express.



FORSYTHIA. (Golden Bell.) Few, if any, of the hardy shrubs can surpass the splendor and brilliancy of the Forsythia. Their grace and beauty give them a prominent place in all shruh plantations. (If shrub place in all shrub plantations. Of upright, vigorous growth; foliage rich dark green and lus-trous. Flowers brilliant golden yellow, borne in great pro-fusion early in April, before the leaves ap-pear. 40c each by express.

express.

SPIREA, Van Houtti.

(Bridal Wreath.) The
grandest of all
spireas. Very beautiful for the lawn.
When in bloom it is
a perfect fountain of
white blossoms, the
foliage hardly showing. Perfectly hardy
and vigorous grower. ing. Perfectly hardy and vigorous grower. A very good plant for a fancy hedge. Grows 4 to 5 feet high, and blooms in early June. 40c each. hy express by express.

Anthony Waterer. This beautiful variety produces flowers of a

produces flowers of a bright crimson and blooms so freely that it may be kept flowering throughout the summer till late fall by trimming away the dead blooms. The foliage also is very handsome, being variegated with creamy white or yellow. 40c arch. by average. each, by express.

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Thunbergii. (Snow White.) A Japanese variety of medium size, with narrow, delicate leaves and a profusion of small white flowers in early summer. One of the best. Leaves narrow, bright, green, turning in autumn to brilliant shades of orange and scarlet. Grows 3 to 4 ft. high. Price 2-3 ft., each 40c; postpaid.

NOWBALL. The old-fashioned, common snowball; grows 6 to 8 feet high; its large globular clusters of pure white flowers are produced in May and June and make a very attractive appearance. 40c each, by express.

SNOWBALL.

express. express.

SCARLET JAPAN QUINCE. One of the best flowering shrubs; flowers a bright scarlet crimson, borne in great profusion in early spring; foliage retains its color of bright glossy green the entire summer; hardy; makes a good hedge. 40c each; hedge size \$1.50 per 10; \$12.00 per 100, by

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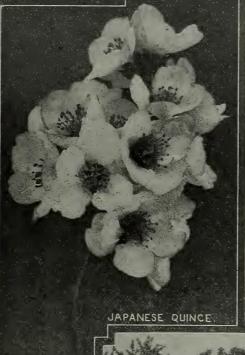
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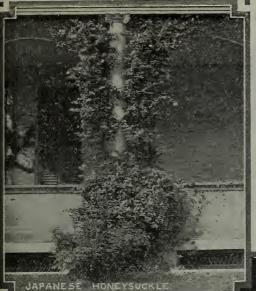
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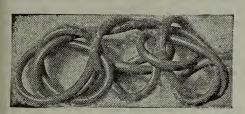
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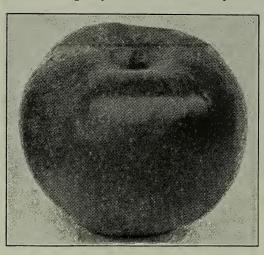
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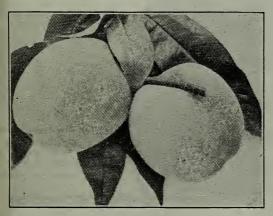
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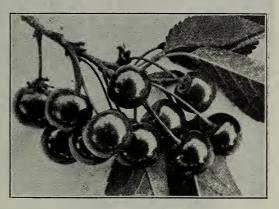
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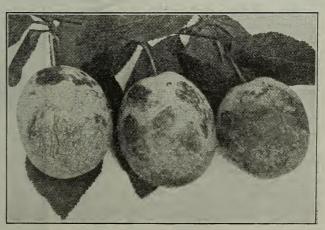
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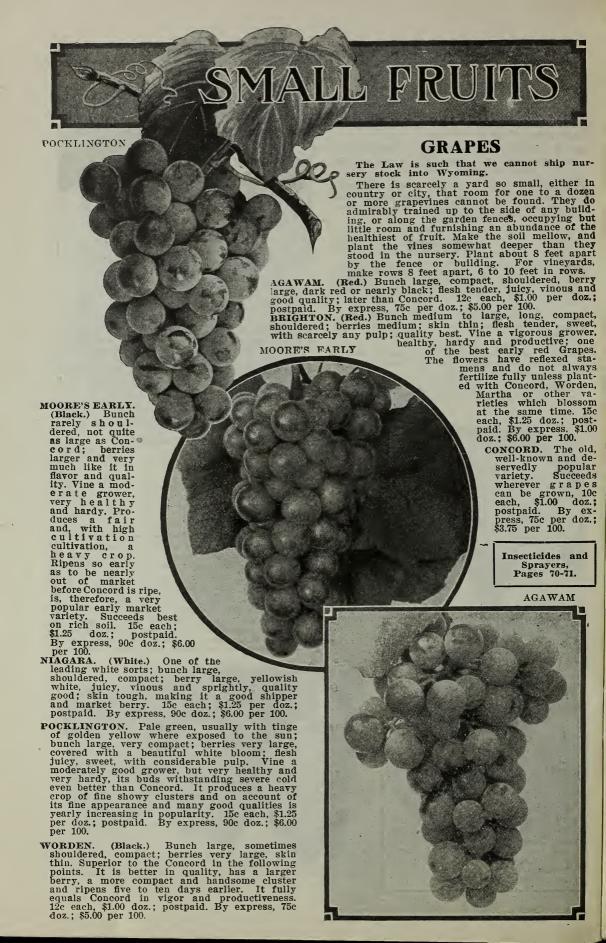
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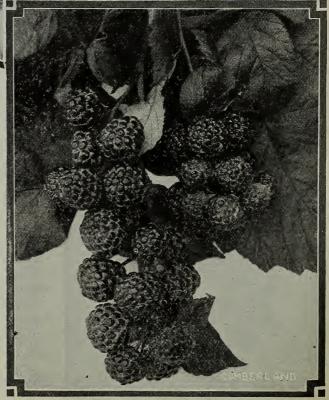
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# STRAWBERRIES

The laws are such that we cannot ship nursery stock into Wyoming.

CULTURE. On arrival of plants unpack them at once, loosen the bunches, "heel" them in the ground or dip their roots in a 'puddle," made by mixing earth in water until of the consistency of cream, and lay away in a cool, damp place until they can be planted. Do not leave in package and pour water over them, as this will surely cause the plants to heat and spoil. To grow large berries and plenty of them, fertilizers must be used freely. Ground bone is excellent. Do not plant deep, but press the earth very firmly about the roots. Should the weather be warm, shade for a few days with coarse litter. Cultivate well

and keep out the weeds. For field culture plant in rows four feet apart, with plants one foot apart in the row. For garden culture, plant three feet by one foot. Turn runners the direction of the row. When the ground freezes, mulch with light coat of straw. Remove the mulch in the spring and cultivate. (B) Perfect flowers—can be planted alone. (P) Pistillate, imperfect flowers must have some marked (B) mixed with them, as close as one row in three.

BEDERWOOD. (B) (See No. 2 in cut.) This is generally considered to be one of the very best early varieties for home use or market. a splendid grower, making a large number of strong runners. It has a perfect blossom and is exceptionally productive. The fruit is of good size, light red, medium firmness and good quality. One of the best to plant with Warfield.

BRANDYWINE. (B) (See No. 3 in cut.) This variety has proven so satisfactory with all who have grown it that it is consequently in large demand. It is comparatively new and of great value by reason of its productiveness; large size, beauty and good quality, which renders it especially desirable for the home garden. The berries are a glossy crimson, very handsome, firm, solid and excellent in quality with a fine flavor. The plant is remarkably vigorous, hardy and exceedingly productive. It is a mid-season to late variety and is excellent to plant with Warfield. 35c per doz.; \$1.35 per 100; postpaid. By express, \$1.00 per 100; \$6.50 per 1,000.

EARLY OZARK. (B) Very early, producing large, well colored berries of excellent quality. Plants large and vigorous. This variety has been tested here for several seasons and proven

very satisfactory. Excellent shipper. Price, 35c per doz.; \$1.35 per 100; postpaid. By express, \$1.00 per 100; \$6.50 per 1,000.

SENATOR DUNLAP. (B) (See No. 1 in cut.) Plant resembles Warfield, rampant runner, should be restricted in its production of plants; fully equal to Crescent and Warfield in its ability to succeed under all circumstances. Fruit good size, regular form, beautiful bright red, glossy, firm, splendid keeper and shipper, excellent quality, one of the best for canning; ripens early and continues a long time.

WARFIELD. (P) (See No. 4 in cut.) This variety stands next to the Senator Dunlap, being quite similar in shape and size. However, Warfield is a sour berry and a little deeper in color, thus making it one of the very best for canning. It also holds its color in the cans, which is a very strong point in its favor. While the individual plants are quite small, it is remarkable the number of quarts produced by a lightly matted row grown on good strong soil.

Price of all except Brandywine and Ozark: Per dozen, 30c; \$1.10 per 100, postpaid. By express, 75c per 100; \$5.00 per 1,000.

# Something New Giant Himalaya Berry

PRICE

Price. 12c each, 10 for \$1.00, postpaid. By express, 10c each; 10 for 75c; \$6.00 per 100.

THE GIANT HIMALAYA BERRY. This berry is a recent introduction from the northern slope of the Himalaya Mountains, 6,000 feet above sea level. The vine is vigorous, very hardy and makes a growth of 20 to 30 feet in one year. It can be trained on a fence or arbor similar to grape vines. The berries are round and about three-quarters of an inch thick, very fine, with a tough skin and no core. They are jet black and very handsome. Like Blackberries, they are quite tart before they are fully ripe, but very sweet and rich when matured.

They are borne in enormous clusters of large sized berries, which ripen about Aug. 1st and bear until Oct. The first year there are a few blossoms, no fruit; the second year there is a medium crop; the third year and thereafter it yields a full crop. There has been practically no complaint from parties growing the Himalaya, but all praise it and say it's the finest berry every introduced. The Himalaya has no dead wood. It fruits from the old canes the same as new every year, but it is necessary to prune some wood away each year.

# Insecticides and Spray Mixtures

ALL OF THESE GOODS BY FREIGHT OR EXPRESS AT YOUR EXPENSE

### When to Spray

Just before buds open. When fruit is set. Two weeks later. When fruit begins to color.

### Arsenate of Lead



S. W. BRAND Arsenate of Lead is more sticky than any other insecticide, and is used where it is desirable that the poison should remain on the foilage. It positively will not burn. Use two pounds of Arsenate of Lead to 50 gallons of water. We sell only the best.

Price, 1 lb., 25c; 2 lbs., 45c; 5 lbs., 80c; 10 lbs., \$1.50. Write for prices in larger lots.

### Lime-Sulphur Solution

Use one gallon to make twelve gallons of liquid for strongest use or 24 gallons for summer spraying. For San Jose Scale spray every part of the trunk and branches after leaves are off in the fall and the tree is dormant, using one part to ten of water. Then again in the spring before the leaf buds open. Better make two sprayings of it if you can, about two weeks apart. Price, qt., 30c; gal., 75c; 5 gal., \$2.25. Ask for price in larger lots.

### Target Scale Destroyer

A remedy for San Jose Scale. This preparation contains a combination of mineral and vegetable oils easily mixed with water. It does not clog the pump and nozzle. Dilute with 19 parts of water. Price, 1 qt. cans, 35c; ½ gal. cans, 65c.

### **Tobacco Dust**

One of the best remedies for green and black aphis fleas, beetles, etc., also for insects in the ground. Lb., 10c; 5 lbs., 35c; 10 lbs., 50c; 50 lbs., \$2.50; 100 lbs., \$4.50.



### Bordeaux Mixture

S. W. BRAND
In pulp, add 49 gallons of water to each gallon of Bordeau Mixture and spray all fruit trees before buds are open and again after the fruit has set. Potatoes will yield twice as much if sprayed with this mixture and Paris Green or Arsenate of Lead. Pt., 25c; qt., 40c; 5 lbs. jars, 70c each; 25 lb. steel cans, \$2.75.

### **Quick Bordeaux**

In making a Bordeaux Mixture some people prefer to have the lime and copper sulphate in a dry state. To supply this demand we furnish this Quick Bordeaux. 10 lb. bag, 4-6-50 formula (enough for 50 gallons mixture), price, 90c each.



### Paris Green

Paris Green is the most active poison known for the destruction of chewing insects, and it should not be applied or left where stock of any kind or children can have access to it.

For destroying the potato bug it should be applied in the proportion of one ounce of Paris Green to three gallons of water or 1 pound to 50 gallons of water. Price, by express, per lb., 30c; 5 lbs., \$1.20; 14 lbs., \$3.25; 28 lbs., \$6.15; 100 lb. lots, 20c per lb.

### Kerosene Emulsion

This is a safe and sure remedy to kill all sucking insects, that is those which get their nourishment through a proboscis, which they insert into the leaves or bark. Price, qt., 55c; gal., \$1.10.



# Whale Oil Soap

It effectually destroys the mealy buy and almost all lice on indoor and outdoor plants. Simply make a suds and spray the plants with it. Price, lb., 20c; 5 lbs., 80c.

### Bug Death

This is a powder used for killing any bug or worm that eats the foliage or flowers of any plant. It is absolutely harmless to plant or animal life, thus making it a safe poison. Can be used dry or with water. For best satisfaction should be used when the tender shoots first come. Price, 1 lb. pkg., 15c; 3 lb. pkg., 35c; 5 lb. pkg., 50c; 12½ lb. pkg., \$1.00.



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### Slug Shot



Just dusted lightly on the plants. It kills potato bugs, cabbage worms, melons, squash and cucumber bugs. Non-poisonous and harmless to all creatures except in sect life. By

insect life. By freight or express, 1 lb. can with perforated top, 15c; 5 lb. package, 40c; 10 lb. package, 75c.

# GOPHERGO

(Machine Poisoned Raisins)



It will exterminate gophers, squirrels, prairie dogs, rabbits, and is the only prepared poison that will get a gopher. The government advises poisoning as the most effective and best method of exterminating ground pests, but it must combine three points: an attractive bait, thoroughly poisoned, placed where they will get it. Gophergo Try it, if it don't do the work we redoes it. turn your money. Price, ½ lb., cans 25c; 1½ lb. cans, 50c; 3¼ lb. cans, \$1.00; 9½ lb. cans, \$2.50.

SULPHO-TOBACCO SOAP. Is a powerful agent for the destruction of all bugs and insects. Of special value for spraying Roses, shrubs and vines. One or two applications will rid plants of the pests. Full directions with each cake.

3-oz. cake makes 11/2 gallons, 10c; 14c, postpaid.

8-oz. cake makes 4 gallons, 20c; 29c postpaid.

10-lb. cake makes 80 gallons. By express, your expense, \$3.00.



### **SPRAYERS**



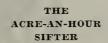
NO. 3. Made of heavy tin; has the same size air chambers as our other styles, and the reservoir holds about one quart, and throws a single spray straight ahead. Price, 50c.

.NO. 20. Tank consists of a Mason fruit jar. Its shape causes it

to give a churning motion when in use, thus keeping the ingredients thoroughly mixed. Price, 75c.

THE EASY SPRAYER

BRANT EASY SPRAY. ER. This sprayer holds one gallon of liquid, is equipped with automatic shut off lever nozzle, and made of heavy galvanized iron. Just as good as the large sprayers only for size. Price, \$1.00.



ideal for applying BUG DEATH and other dry insecticides. Price, 75c.

THE DOUBLE DAISY. Push the plunger in and it sprays. Pull the plunger out and it sprays. Made out of galvanized iron and holds 1 qt. Does anything that any other sprayer will and does it twice as fast. Price only \$1.00.

Sprays both ways.

"DAISY" DOUBLE ACTION



#### ACME POWDER GUN

Sprays any powdered insecticide. It weighs 11/2 pounds. Price, \$1.00.



#### ACME DOUBLE POWDER GUN

Similar to the single but holds twice as much and works much faster.

Made out of the best material. Price, \$1.50.



#### DICKEY DUSTER

For use in applying dry insect powder. Price, 25c each.



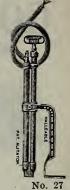


### Sprayer and Paint Machine

No. 329. Sprays white wash cold water, paints or any liquid. Galvanized tank holds 7 gallons. Pump is made of brass with brass ball valves and malleable handle. It has a patent double agitator and is a most complete and serviceable outfit. Price as cut, \$7.00.

### Little Giant

No. 27. A Brass Spray Pump, complete with agitator, hose, fine and coarse spray and solid stream nozzle, with malleable foot rest. Will throw a stream 50 feet. This is a first class all around sprayer, 28 inches high, made of 11/8 inch brass tubing. Price, \$2.50.



#### **EXTENSION PIPES**

8-ft. Iron Extension Pipe, 45c 8-ft. Bamboo Extension Pipe, with cut-off, \$3.00

Improved Barrel Spray Pump

O.K. Spray Pump



No. 305

No. 305. This pump is made in a first-class manner. All parts that come in contact with the liquid are of heavy

brass. It can be easily and solidly bolted to any barrel. The air being compressed into the air chamber with a 2-inch all brass cylinder makes the spray continuous. A mechanical agitator and small of liquid jet from the pump keeps the ingredients thoroughly

No. 307. For hot, cold or any kind of mixture. Has mechanical agitator, solid brass ram plun-ger, ground bevel valve and seat. A strictly reliable first-class pump for sprayi n g orchar d s or potatoes. Easily adjusted to barrel of any size. The han-dle is of wrought steel, so as to enable the operator to



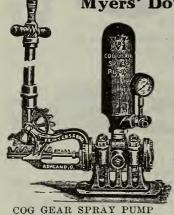
No. 307 O. K.

get up a pressure of 200 lbs. or more. It is fitted for 2 strings of discharge hose. Price without hose or nozzle, as cut (without barrel), \$13.65. Two 15-foot discharge hose and 2 graduated nozzles, \$6.35 extra.

agitated. It sprays whitewash, kalsomine, water, paints and any other liquid. Fitted with 15 feet of best 5-ply rubber hose, and graduated Vermorel nozzle complete as cut (except barrel). Price. \$8.80.

Myers' Double Acting Cog Gear Spray Pump

This is built especially for heavy spray work. The 2-inch cylinder is brass-lined. The plunger is brass, hemp-packed, and piston rod is brass. You can use any material, hot or cold. It is fitted with large air chamber, pressure gauge, 6-foot wire-bound suction hose, two 8-foot extension pipes, and two Vermorel or Bordeaux nozzles. Can be used on floor or barrel as the motion of handle is either perpendicular or horizontal. Price, \$20.00. 30 feet heavy hose for \$5.00 extra.



### Myers' Duplex Back Geared Double Acting Spray Pump

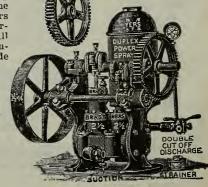
No. 445. It is built strong for heavy pressure work. The 21/2 inch heavy brass plungers have a 3-inch stroke, in the vertical, all-brass cylinders. All working parts that come in contact with the liquid are made

of brass. The air chamber is 8x16 inches. This insures a steady

pressure when used with large power nozzles.

It is regularly equipped with belt pulley. If wanted with gear wheel give size of crank shaft on engine. Fitted with relief valve, pressure gauge, double cut-off discharge, 6 feet of wire-bound suction hose, two 8-foot pipe extensions and two power nozzles. No discharge hose. Price, \$53.00.

A SPECIAL PIPE to fit Nos. 27, 329, 305, 307 and for Meyers Knapsack, for spraying under leaves of Musk Melon or Cucumber vines, 50c each.



ASK FOR LARGE SPRAYER CATALOG



### Aquaject

This pump will throw a stream about 60 feet. It can be adjusted to a very fine or coarse spray. The cylinder, piston rod and couplings are all of brass. A good whitewash sprayer. Used with bucket, \$5.00.

### Myers' Knapsack Spray Pump

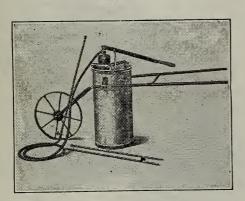
The tank holds 5 gallons. The pump has a large nir chamber, ball valves, solid plunger and agitator. It is so arranged that no water cau drip on the operator. The pump can be removed easily. The pump is also fitted with haudle, so the operator can set the knapsack on the ground and work as a bucket pump. The haudle lever can be shifted from right to left shoulder at will. Price, \$5.50.



#### KNAPSACK

### **Ideal Sprayer Outfit**

This is just the sprayer for small fruit, small orchard, and an ordinary size patch of potatoes. The tank is made of galvanized iron and holds



15 gallons. The extension pipe can be held and pump worked with one man.

The iron pump is equipped with a large air chamber which maintains the uniform pressure. It has a mechanical agitator and brass ball valves. It is complete with 10 feet \(\frac{4}{2}\)-inch pressure hose; 10 feet of extension pipe in 3 pieces; and a Brandt Ideal Nozzle. Price, \\$18.00.

### Kant-Klog Sprayer

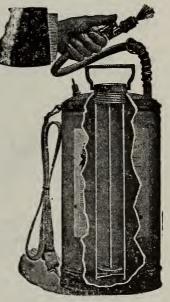
The sprayer holds over 4 gallons.

The air pump is made of heavy brass two in ches in diameter. A safety valve is provided.

Special attention is called to the new "Kant-Klog." The first and only nozzle ever made which gives both flat and round sprays, or solid sprays.

A light pressure of the thumb starts the spray instantly. Remove it and the spray stops instantly. Price, Galvanized Steel and 3 feet brass.

and 3 feet brass, extension rod, \$5.00; Polished Brass and 3 feet brass extension rod, \$6.50.



### Auto Spray No. 1

This machine is especially desirable for spraying insecticides, fungicides, etc., as well as being useful for various household and farm purposes. A few strokes of the plunger into the air chamber will compressenough air to discharge the entire contents of the can and make a continuous spray for nine minutes, or if desired, will throw a single stream 30 feet high.

gle stream 30 feet high. The reservoir holds 4 gallons, but it should not be over two-thirds full of solution ready for spraying. The cylinder is made of galvanized iron and the pump strongly and rigidly made.

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An automatic valve called Auto Pop has been added and machines equipped with this allow an instantaneous discharge, and the spray is in perfect control. We advise ordering with Auto Pop attachment.

Auto Sprayer, galvanized, \$4.50; with Auto Pop, \$5.40. Auto Sprayer Brass Tank \$6.75. Extension Rods, 2 feet lengths, 45c.



One Horse 4-Row Sprayer

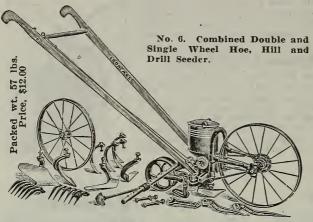


spraying orchards or potatoes, and large catalog.

No. 100. Tank made of best galvanized iron, holds 55 gallons. The wheels turn an air pump which furnishes the compressed air. Best automatic Cau be used for

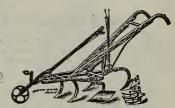
Ask for price

## IRON AGE GARDEN IMPLEMENTS





No. 4 same size and same tool as No. 6, but does not drop in hills...\$11.00 No. 5. As a drill only........................... 8.00



No. 6. Horse Hoe. Complete (like cut).....\$6.25

No. 12. The tools are of best steel and malleable iron. Price.....\$3.50

No. 19. Wheel Plow and Cultivator

The wheel is made of steel, 24 inches high, and is very strong. The tire is 1 inch in width. The frame is made of steel throughout. The handles are made of best oak.

Price complete with 5 tools.....\$3.25



### Dixie One-Horse Cultivator

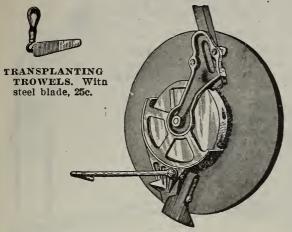


No. 1. Combined Harrow and Cultivator.

Price with lever expanded, as in cut



Ask for Special Iron Age Catalogues of Hand Tools, Horse Tools, Sprayers, Potato Planters and Diggers.

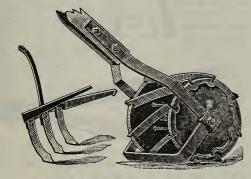


#### EUREKA SEED DRILL

It will sow and cover Beets, Cabbage, Carrots, Celery, Lettuce, Onions, Radishes, Spinach, Turnips, and all such seeds with the greatest regularity. Much better and faster than hand work. It is not a toy, but a strong, practical machine. Of course, when you have a large garden you will want our Iron Age Drill, but for a few vegetables the Eureka is superb.

It is the only machine suited to sow in a hotbed. Sows the smallest packet of seeds as well as a large

bulk. Price 80c.



#### THE BARKER WEEDER AND MULCHER

It operates on the plan of a lawn mower. It is better than a hoe. It is ten times as fast. It is easy to operate. It forms a dust mulch. Cut your weeds in your garden once a week. With the revolving blades in your Barker the surface of the ground is chopped, the weeds are cut, separated from the soil and thereby destroyed.

It cuts the weeds under the ground as well as the weeds out of the ground. Price complete, with three cultivator teeth and leaf guards, \$6.50.

### The Cylone Seeder

struction and easy of operation; has automatiic regulator and cut-off, and performs its work perfectly. It is practical. Price,

**S** 1.65



Seeder \$3.25.



#### SUPERIOR NO. 2

In this plow the center of weight falls directly over the pivoting point, making it self-balancing. Height of wheel, 24 inches.

Price, with 5 steel tools as in



Weeder, 25c; postpaid 30c.

### Little Giant Seeder

Will sow anything broadcast and do it right. Price, \$1.75.



# Cahoon

The best machine of the kind in the market. The grain is held in a tight sheet-iron hop-per surrounded by a bag which will hold a bushel of seed. Price,



NO. 1 CLIPPER FANNING MILL. This is the small size of the fanning mill and seed separator used by all seedsmen. It will separate small seed from large, take out



light seed, straw and weeds all at one time. Is equipped with ten screens, will fan all kinds of grain and seed. Send for large catalog of fanning mills.

Price, complete ...



DOG CAKES. An especially prepared food for dogs, cats. rabbits, etc. Price. LITTLE GIANT MOLE TRAP

Most simple and best trap on the market. Fully guaranteed to give satisfaction. Price, Toc each.

#### GIANT TIN HORN SEEDER

A light, accurate seeder that will broadcast clean seed from 30 to 40 feet.



NICKEL PLATED MILKING TUBES

Use for sore and obstructed teats and hard milking cows: 2 inch, 21/2 inch, 3 inch long, Price, 25c each, postpaid.

### PRUNERS AND SHEARS

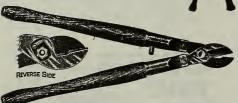


PRUNING SHEARS. 9-inch forged steel, polished blades, volute spring. 65c

HEDGE SHEARS. Cast steel, notched, hand finished and burnished handles. 8-inch \$1.35; 9-inch, \$1.60; 10-inch, \$1.90.



TREE PRUNERS. Waters' cast steel blade, single. Wood pole, 6-foot handle, 75c; 8-foot handle, 90c; 10-foot handle, \$1.00.



136 PRUNER. The best grade of forged Handles 22 inches long. Price \$2.00. steel.



NO. 9 PRUNER. A good grade of steel, with polished blades. Price \$1.00.

#### THE MILK SUB-STITUTE.

Blatchford's Calf Meal is for calves what Mellin's Food is for babies. Raises the finest calves at about half the cost of milk. Prevents scouring.

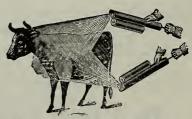
100 lb. bag (makes 100 gallons of rich, nutritious gruel), \$3.50; 50 lb. bag, \$2.00; 25 lb. 25 lb. bag. Try it and \$1.10. sell the milk.

### FOR STOCK



#### CALF DEHORNER

This comes in the shape of a pencil, and is very easily applied. Clip off the hair around the little horn at the time it feels like a button and before it starts through the skin. Dampen it a little with water, and rub it with the Dehorner material. This causes the horn to stop growing, and should be applied when the calf is from 5 to 10 days old. (Enough for 25 or 30 calves.) Price 50c, postpaid.



#### STANDARD FLY AND GERM KILLER

It is a liquid preparation designed for keeping flies from cows and horses, and is perfectly harmless. Most rapidly and economically applied with a sprayer. Put up in one gallon seal top cans, \$1.00. Sent only by express or freight at buyer's expense.

Special-One No. 1 Sprayer and one gallon Standard Fly Killer for \$1.25, by express, your expense.

### POULTRY SUPPLIES

ALFALFA MEAL. Made from green, kiln-dried alfalfa hay and is 2 to 3 times more valuable than clover meal. Good for chickens or stock. 12 lbs., 25c; 50 lbs., 80c; 100 lbs., \$1.40.

ALFALMO MEAL. Same as alfalfa meal except that it is mixed with syrup, a decided addition. 12 lbs., 25c; 50 lbs., 80c; 100 lbs., \$1.40.

BLOOD MEAL. This is pure, rich, dried blood. Very fine for incubator chicks, as it prevents loss from breaking down or leg weakness. Good to start hens laying. Feed one part blood meal to fifteen parts of mash. 6 lbs., 25c; 50 lbs., \$2.00; 100 lbs., \$3.75.

BEEF SCRAPS. For laying hens may be mixed one part meat scraps to three parts crushed grain, bran or shorts. Wet with hot water, or skimmed milk preferred. Feed

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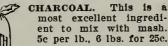
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night and morning. 7 lbs., 25c; 50 lbs., \$1.75; 100 lbs., \$3.35.

CRYS-CO. A shell producer and grit in one. It is the crystallized molluscan shell formation or petrified shell, nature's own product, and is mined and crushed coarse, medium and fine for the great American hen. 17 lbs., 25c; 50 lbs., 50c; 100 lbs., 85c.



CRUSHED SHELLS. you expect your hens to lay eggs you must furnish them with something to make shell. 17 lbs., 25c; 50 lbs., 50c; Clam Shells, 75c per 100 lbs.; Oyster Shells, 85c per 100 lbs.

Not CRYSTAL GRIT. only your large fowls, but your small chickens must have grit. Most so-called chicken cholera is simply indigestion caused by lack of grit with which to grind the Large, medium and 17 lbs., 25c; 50 lbs.. food. 50c; 100 lbs., 85c.

GRISWOLD'S CHICK FOOD.
This consists of millet, wheat and other seeds, grit, bone, etc., in such proportions as shall supply the young growing chickens with all that is necessary to secure healtn, vigor and growth. It not only is a money maker but saves much time

in feeding. 8 lbs., 25c; 50 lbs., \$1.35; 100 lbs., \$2,50.

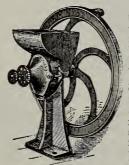
SCRATCH FOOD. From 15 to 20 kinds of seeds and grains; specially good for grown fowls. Do not confuse this with screenings. This has no waste whatever, no grit. 15 lbs., 25c; 50 lbs., 80c; 100 lbs., \$1.50.

TOBACCO DUST. Sprinkle it around the chicken house and nest. It keeps away the lice. Per lb., 10c; 5 lbs., 35c; 10 lbs., 50c; 100 lbs., \$4.00.

POULTRY BONE should be kept before poultry of all classes, at all times, especially where egg production is desired. They will be the best judges as to the amount they want. Young chickens should be permitted to get it at their pleasure. Large medium, chick and meal. 8 lbs., 25c; 50 lbs., \$1.35; 100 lbs., \$2.65.

SULPHUR. 10c per lb.; 3 lbs., 25c. Ask for prices in large lots.

#### NO. 32 HAND GRINDING MILL



In this mill are em-bodied all the good feat-ures of other hand grinding mills to which have been added universal burrs or grinding plates that are adjustable for grinding coarse or fine. This machine grinds oats, barley, rye, corn, peas, dry bone, shells, etc., for feeding to poultry. It is a well designed machine, is strong and well made throughout and of excellent finish, has a 16-inch

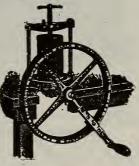
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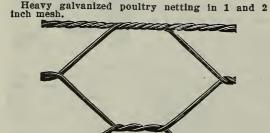


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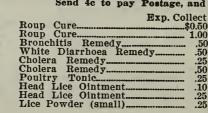
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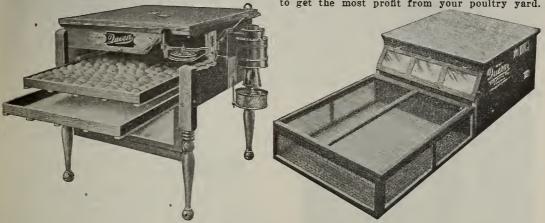
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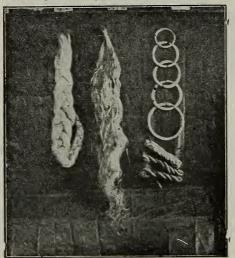


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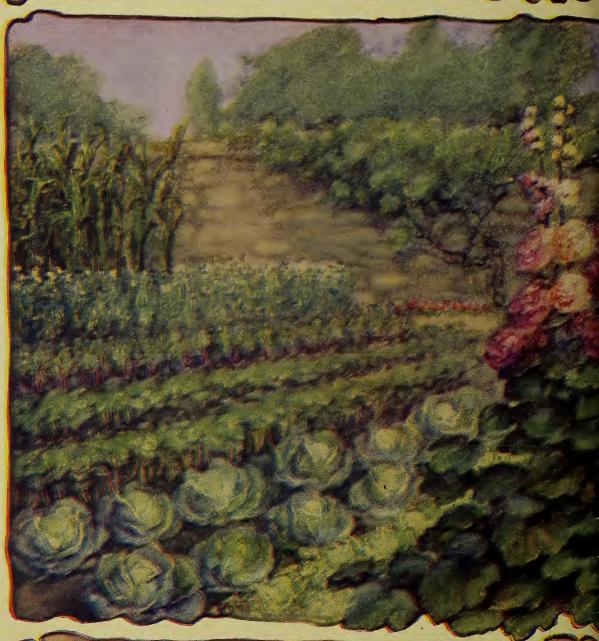
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